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The WORST of Times . . .

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Above: Michelle Hsiang, Marilyn Mitchell, Don Houpe, Lucia Stadter, Ama Shabazz, Liz McCachren

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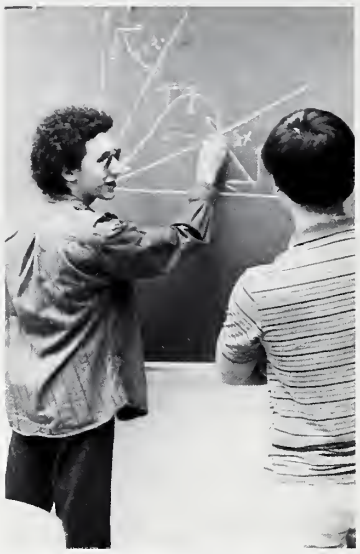

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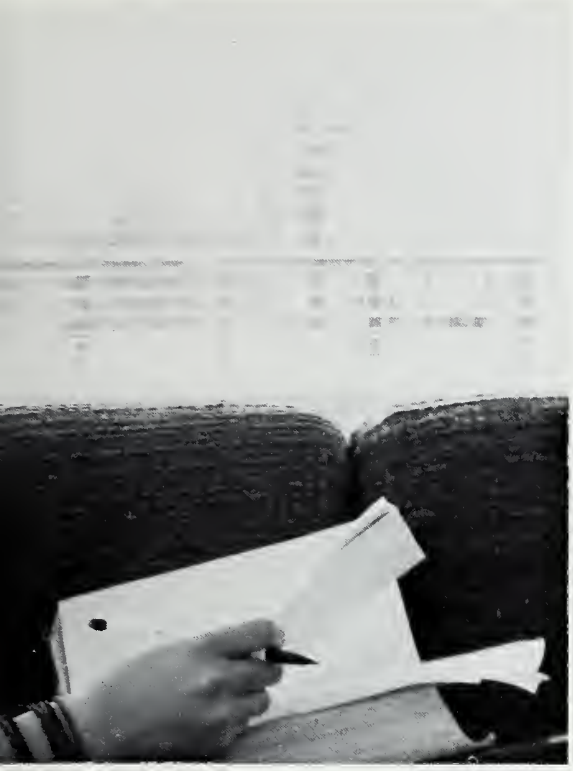

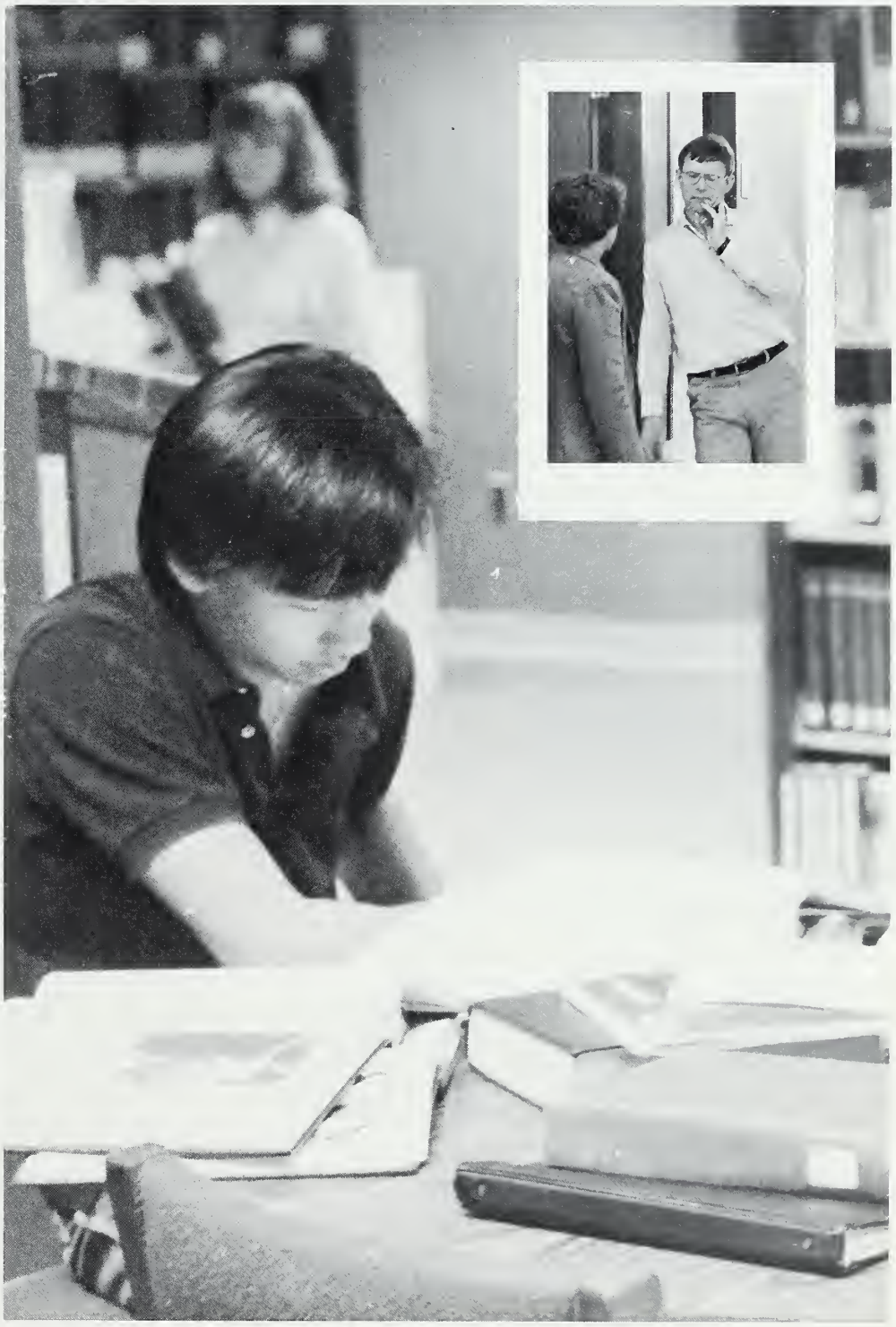

OF THE TIMES

MEET OUR MUSICIA

and Maestro Ray Church

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Charles Eilber, Director

Rosemary Oates, Registrar

Nancy Moore

Bonna Robbins

Sheila Rudd

The Line . . .

William Youngblood, Principal

Joan Barber, Assistant Principal

and Andrea Dennis

Left to right: Ola Stringer, Head of Admissions; Dave Williams; Belinda Cagle; and John Poe

Braughn Taylor, Deputy Director for Operations & Institutional Advancement

It's BUSINESS as Usual!

BUSINESS: Joe Gibbs, Business Officer;

We'll See What DEVELOPS!

Earleen Sharrock, Accounts Payable Clerk

DEVELOPMENT: Jane Rabon, Head of

Ann Cannon, Accounting Technician

Where's The MONEY, Honey?

Ruth Morris, Admin. Sec., Ann

arolyn Ross; Janet Haswell, Bruce Russell

We tried to think of a heading for this section, but nothing worked. Someone said, "We need a heading for 2nd Watts — the whole thing!" So, here it is . . .

2nd Watts — THE WHOLE THING!!

"I like it! I like it!"

Development; Ken Branch; Linda Harris

Jim McDuffie, Communications Officer

Can We TALK?

Moore, Switchboard Operator

They've Got PERSONNELity!

Nancy Williams, Personnel Officer (standing); Voncille Taylor, Secretary

Student Services

Nurse Nancy
Nancy Simeonsson

Left to right:

Ken Horne, Head of Safety and Security; Sandy Gosnell, Coordinator for Work/Community Service SAB, and Publications; Sandra Jackson, Secretary; Peggy Smith, Dean of Students.

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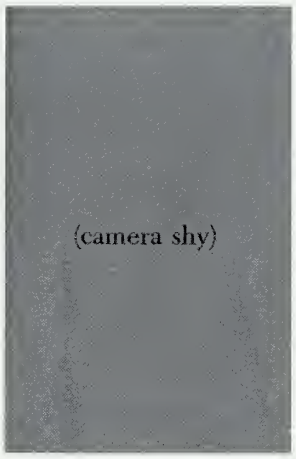
Left to right: Ken Jones, Arlene Brown, Leilani Scotti, Catherine Maday, Mark Adams, Debbie Hardaway, Leisa Harbin

All I want . . .

Marlene Blakney



Warren Basket, Head of Residential Life

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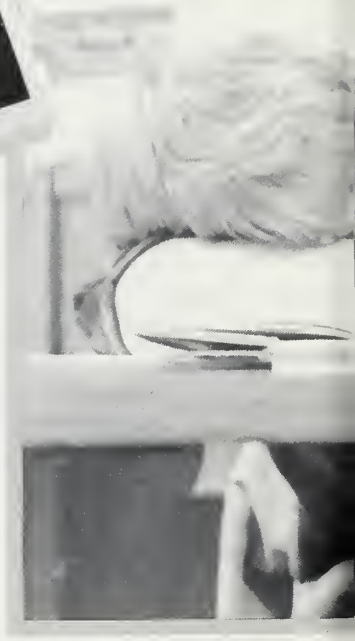
Beth Moorman and Joe Liles



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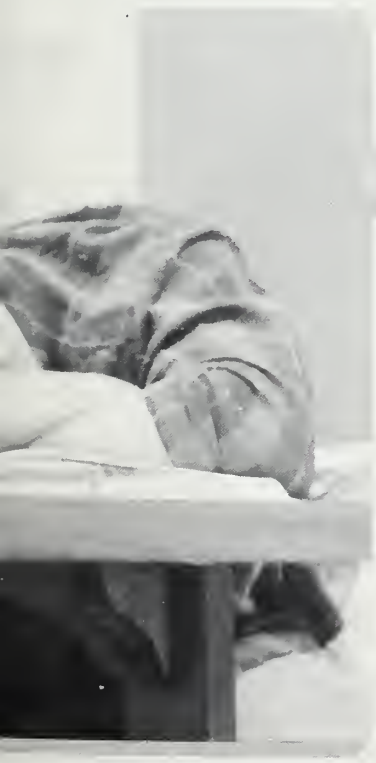
Left to Right: Tim Lehman, Tom Clayton, Ginger Wilson, Jacqueline Meadows, Jim Litle



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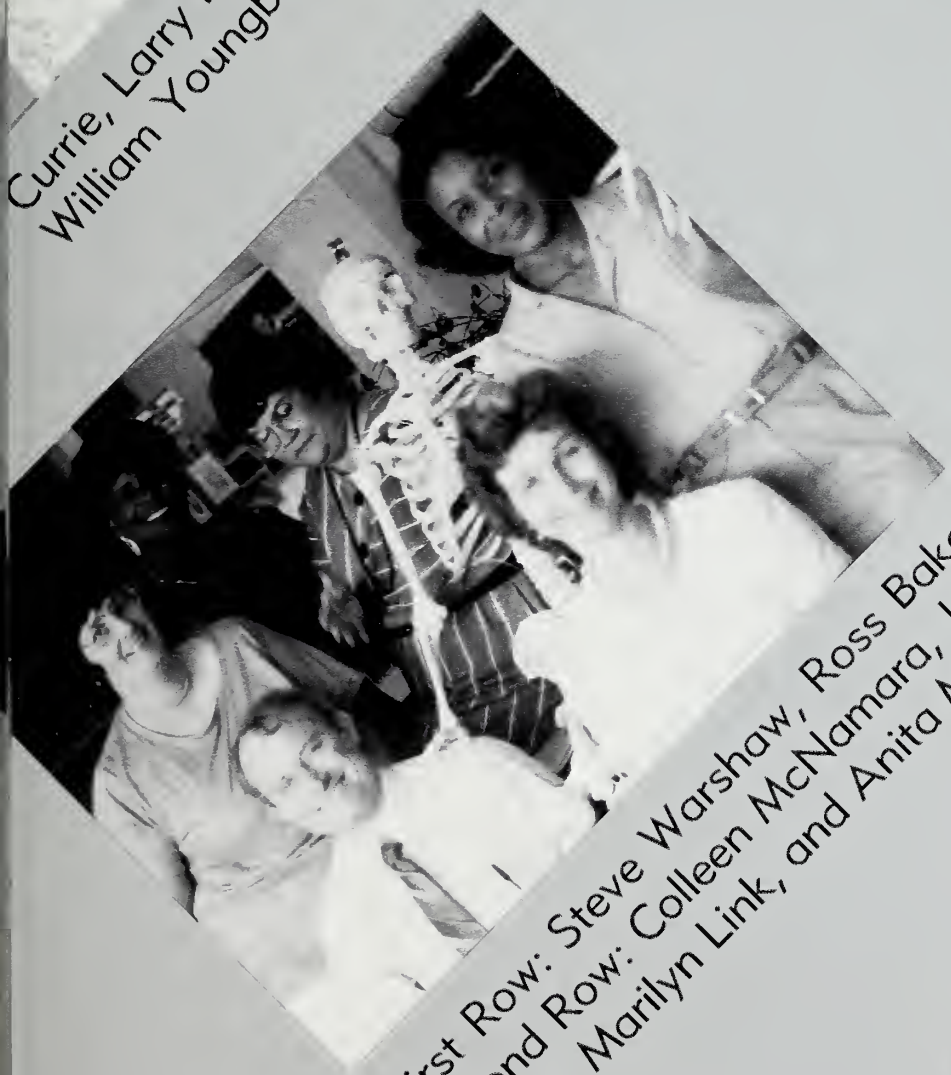

First Row: Steve Warshaw, Ross Baker
Second Row: Colleen McNamara, Joan Barber, Marilyn Link, and Anita McCoy

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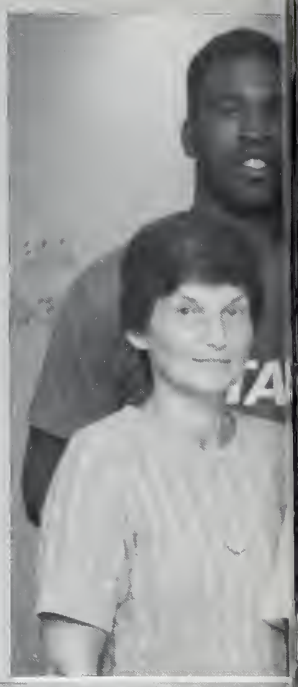

Barbara Newnam, Anthony Myles, Brenda Watson

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Jesse Wright, Hattie Clemons, Pella Bass, Hattie Evans, Tillman Coley, Joan Williams

CAFETERIA

Terrance Powell, Lori Derby, Jess Geller, Mable Bell, Terry Grey, David Mailey

GUIDANCE

MEDIA

Peggy Manring, Dana Long, Julia Eberle

MAINTENANCE

Bobby Jackson, Willie Moore, Donnie Terrell, Clifton Gregg, Bill Taylor, John Williams, Joe Clifton, Thomas Norwood

going . . .

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Left to right: Barbara Davis, Secretary (Durham Math Council); Dot Doyle, Director (Math & Science Education Network Center); Shelagh Gallagher, Research Assistant (Special Programs); Jo Murray, Secretary (Summer Ventures); Claire Saint-Rossy, Program Associate (Summer Ventures); Carol Royals, Secretary (Outreach and Research); Jo Ann Lutz, Executive Director (Durham Math Council); Keith Brown, Dean of Special Programs and Research.

PEER COUNSELORS

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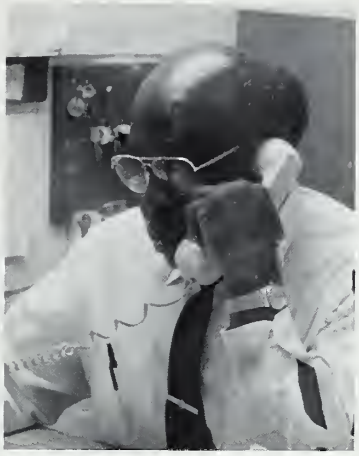

Babe Lyons
Mac Mathis
Gwen Pryor

Linwood Suitt
Toby Wrenn

TIME OUT!

Reaching Their GOALS

The NCSSM men's soccer team had a strong season, hosting the Conference Tournament and placing second in the Conference.

Many of last year's juniors returned to play on the team again this year. There were several new senior players and three junior additions who made a great impact on the success of the team.

Goalie Jon MacMurray played in every game, eight of which were shutouts. Sean O'Brian played very strongly, and the "Oriental Express" (Long Bui, Tony Choi, Richard Kim, and George Kwon) was a dominating force that led the team to its victories. Jon MacMurray said, "We really came together by the end of the season." "We were a TEAM," said Stewart Coulter.

By the end of the season, the team had developed into a very talented group of players, placing them first in the Conference for the regular season. They hosted the Tournament games, winning against Wake-Forest Rolesville, 3-0. The championship match against Apex was very close. It ended after double overtime and a shootout, with a score of 0-1. This put NCSSM 2nd in the Conference, and the team advanced to the State Playoffs.

What are the team's prospects for next year? Three seniors are returning, but the new soccer players will need some time to get accustomed to playing with each other. As long as they keep the same unity and determination, though, there is no reason why they shouldn't do just as well.

But I STILL can't see!

Wake Forest vs. NCSSM, 3-2 AND 3-0!

Members of the Men's Soccer Team are: FRONT ROW: Justin Thomas, Dean Nestvogel, Roberto Gonzales, Richard Kim, Terry Baggett, Long Bui, Quentin Davis, Chris Symmons, Robert Gambill. BACK ROW: Jon MacMurray, Colin Baldwin, Chris Boney, Sean O'Brien, Stewart Coulter, Jonathon Mattingly, Hugh Howard, George Kwon, Luke Smith, Tony Choi, Greg Fountain, Ken Davis, Kevin Bartkovich (coach), Jill McCartney (asst. coach). NOT PICTURED: Beth Judge, Karen Reid, Judy Hanks, and Teresa Cannon (managers).

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4	East Wake	0
6	Harnett Central	3
3	Wake Forest	0
8	S. Durham	0
8	W. Harnett	1
0	Apex	2
0	Durham Acad.	1
5	Clinton	0
3	E. Wake	1
5	ENCSD	0
3	Wake Forest	2
6	S. Durham	0
2	Apex	1
3	Wake Forest	0
0	Apex	1
0	Swansboro	4

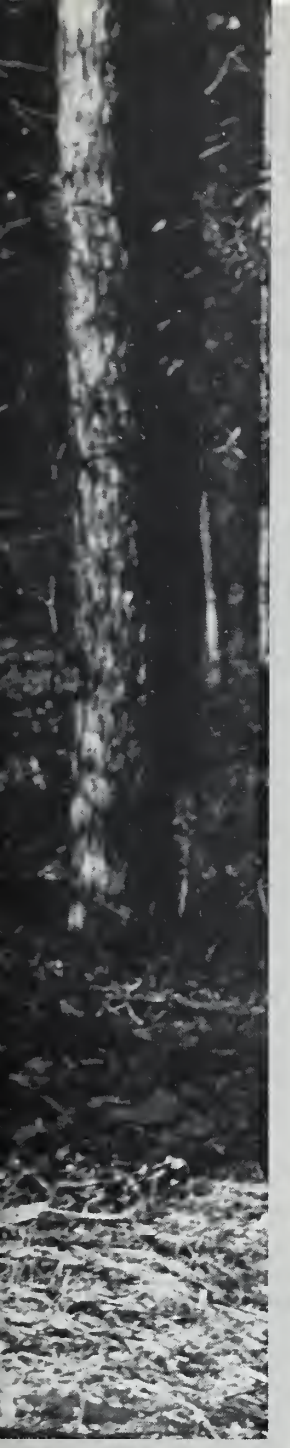
LEFT: Now that's using your head, Terry!

BELOW: Hugh Howard gets ready to show some of his fancy footwork.

LEFT: George Kwon demonstrates a key strategy of soccer — faking out your opponent. **ABOVE:** Greg Fountain really goes out of his way.

1987 conference CHAMPS

TOP: "Lumberjon" fights the cald without his flannel shirt and tabaggan.
BOTTOM: All the runners listen as Caach Adams shares his wards af infinite wisdam.
RIGHT: "No way man!" says Todd Ashe. "Yau're nat getting in frant af me!"



The Cross Country teams ran to the top of the conference this year, thanks to their "spirit, spunk, and white shorts," as manager MeShelle Hart said.

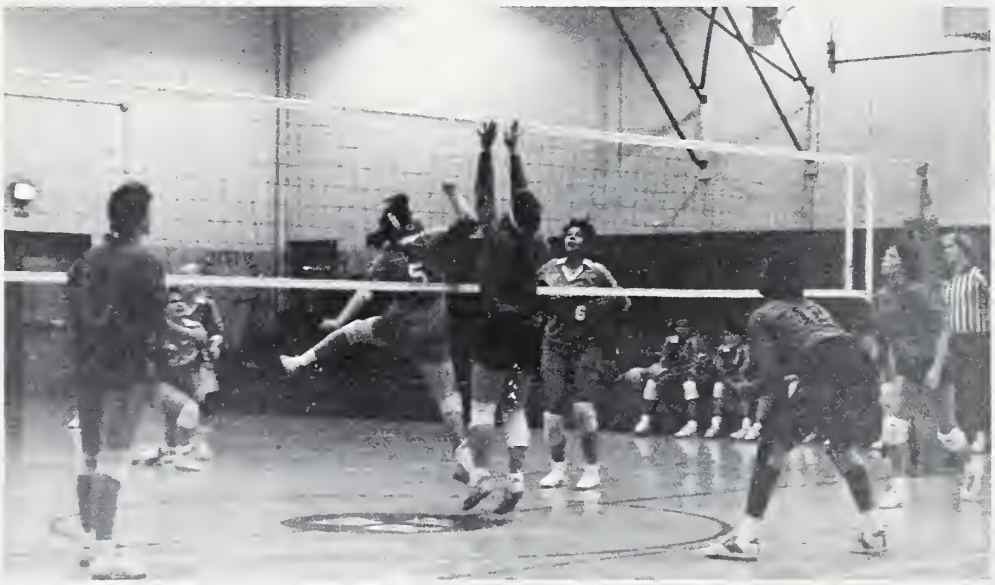
Many seniors returned to the team this year. Senior Steve George placed second in the conference, and participated in the Junior Olympics along with Tripp Jones. Todd Ashe and Jon Davis come back as the team's captains. In addition to the experienced runners, several new members joined the team — juniors and seniors alike. "It was hard, but a lot of fun, too," said Michelle Williams.

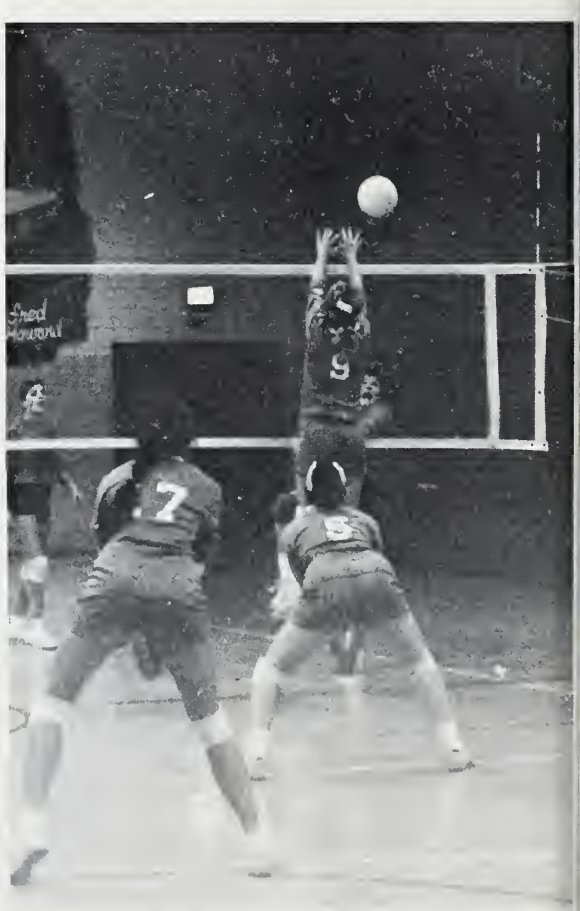
Overall, everyone ran well and did their personal best at every meet. The boys team ended the season with an overall record of 44-6 and a Conference of 21-0. Todd Ashe summed up the progress of both teams fairly well: "I think our record says it all. The seniors came back with a mission to prove NCSSM was the best, and, with the help of some good juniors, we did."

ABOVE: Members of the boys Cross Country team are: Back Row: Coach, F. McDougald; Robert Sanders; David Cherry; Howard Weeks; Ron Hundley; Robert Charles; Sheridan Hopkins; Nathan Lefler; Coach, Mark Adams. Middle Row: Mari Cheves, manager; Marty Combs; Jack Kao; Edwin Anderson; Mark Vilas; Mark Wagoner; MeShelle Hart, manager. Front Row: Tripp Jones; Todd Ashe, captain; Jon Davis, captain; Steve George; Jim Bridges. NOT PICTURED: Trevor Grady; Jon Kuniholm; Chris Myers; Eric Short. **LEFT:** Members of the Girls' Cross Country team are: Back Row: Michelle Williams; Mari Cheves, manager; Sheri Carroll; Tracy Webster; Kim Silk; Andrea Harris. FRONT ROW: MeShelle Hart, manager; Sherri Simmons; Liz Thomas; Nike Beaubier; Rachel Ward, captain. NOT PICTURED: Hui Sun Kim; Catherine Olejar, manager, Jane Wang, manager. **TOP CENTER:** Michelle Williams keeps up the pace.

They've Got a WINNING ATTITUDE

Although the girls' volleyball team did not rank in the top of the conference this year, they had a "winning season as far as team spirit is concerned," according to Coach Arlene Brown. Regardless of the score, the team retained an exceptional amount of optimism. Coaches, referees, and other teams often commented on the unity and good sportsmanship exhibited by NCSSM players. When asked to name the team's greatest strength, our team's response would invariably be, "Team spirit!" Even though the team consisted mostly of seniors, everyone was a "player" on the court. Kim Mantooth, Tina Burleson, and Aisha Horak will return to pass this sense of unity on to next year's team and lead the Unicorns to another memorable season.





Girls' Volleyball: (top row) Ben Little (manager), Erika Roddy, Arlene Brown (Coach), Darla Pruette. (second row) Ruby Edwards, Alicia Smith, Sonya Hodge, Erica Smith, Aisha Horak. (third row) Danielle Bernard, Tina Burleson, Sharon Croom, Michele Rudisill, (bottom row) Wedad Elmaghraby, Kim Mantooth, Hilary Vander Gast. (not pictured) Amanda McAdams.

HARD TO MATCH!

The girl's tennis team was able to finish the season with an impressive 7-2 record. The team's only losses occurred against Fuquay. Not only was the team outstanding overall, but some team members had an eventful post-season. Many team members were honored by being selected for the All-Conference Team, while Lisa Walbolt was able to capture the conference singles title, and the combination of Lisa and Elizabeth Cross won the Conference Doubles Tournament. The success of the team was probably enhanced by the number of returning seniors, along with the help of the few juniors that were on on the team. Next year, the team will have to rely heavily on new arrivals to fill the slots left vacant by the graduating seniors.

Team members: (back row) Anne George, Jenny Goodall, Beth Krodel, Donna Brannock (front row) Elizabeth Cross, Alicia Rios, Laura Bassett, Kim Lutz, Lisa Walbolt. (not pictured) Jayashri Ghate, Rae Lynn Yates, Warren Baket (coach)

Never Say Die!

This year, the NCSSM boys' basketball team faced some strong opposition, but even when our team was down, they never gave up. Often during the season the opposing team would end up winning, but only by a small margin. Despite the tremendous effort the players put into each game, they ended their season with a 1-17 conference record. Nevertheless, the year proved a valuable learning experience for those juniors who will return to the team next year. Hopefully, such first-hand involvement will lead the unicorns to a winning season in '89.

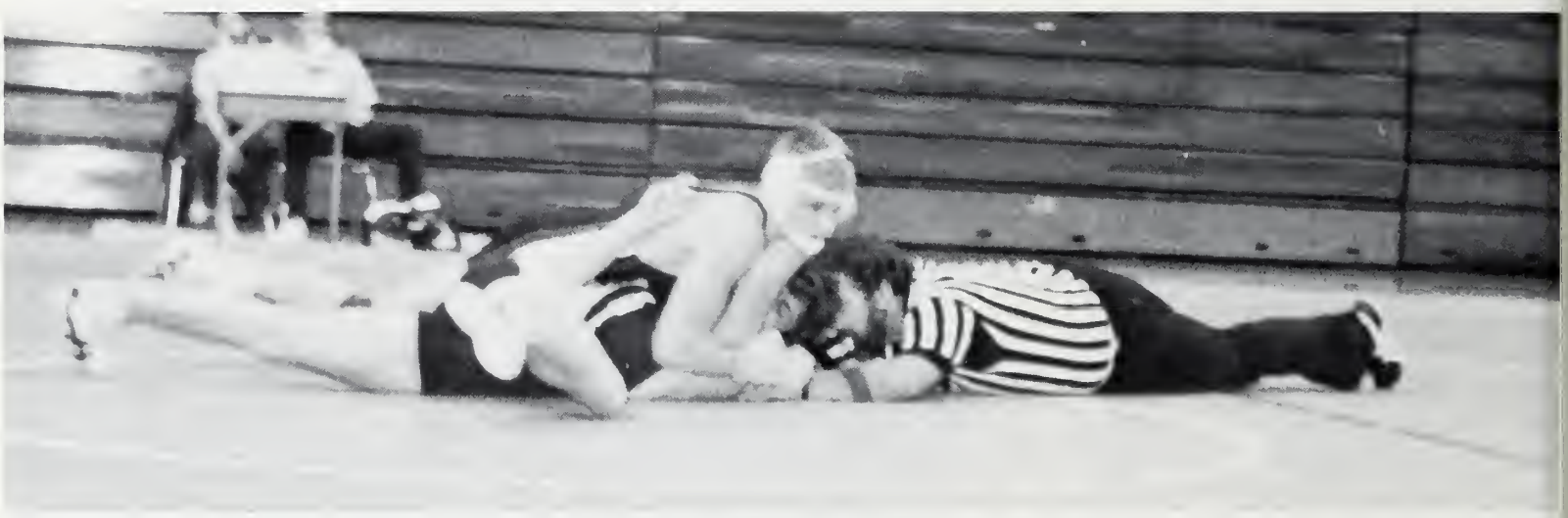
BOYS' BASKETBALL TEAM: (top row) Jim Bostick (coach), Dana Letchworth (captain), Chris Shella, Matt Becker, Ron Hundley, Matt Mabry (captain), Robert Draper, Mike Carter, Trevor Grady, (bottom row) Eddie Jarman, Mark Ingle, Arthur Fu, Zerrick Bynum, Mark Jones, Kirk Hicks.

Lady Unicorns Bounce Back!

The NCSSM girls' basketball team played really hard this year, and they finished the season with a 5-14 record. The girls were not intimidated by the fact that they were playing some of the toughest 2A teams in the state. They "let 'em have it" and kept the scores close.

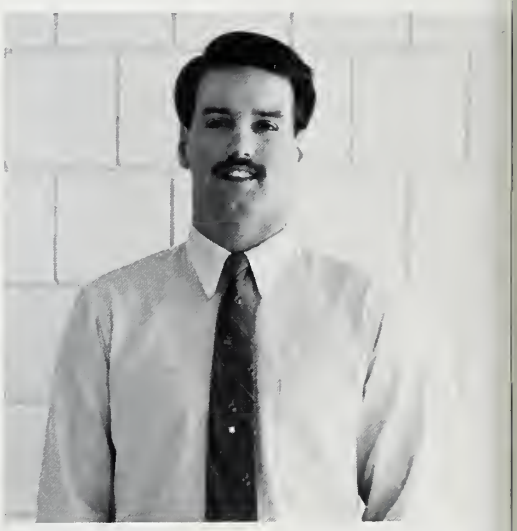
The team was fortunate enough to have Curtis Hunter, former UNC basketball player, as their coach. As this was Hunter's first coaching position, both he and the girls learned a great deal this year. Hunter plans to return next year, along with several juniors; so the prospects for next year look good.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM: (top row) Donna Brannock, Alicia Smith, Dawn Bennett, Tonyu Marshall, Ruby Edwards, Aisha Horak, Erica Smith, (bottom row) Marlene Gibson, Lisa Walbolt, Rhonda Overcash, Terra McKinnish. Coach Curtis Hunter is pictured above.



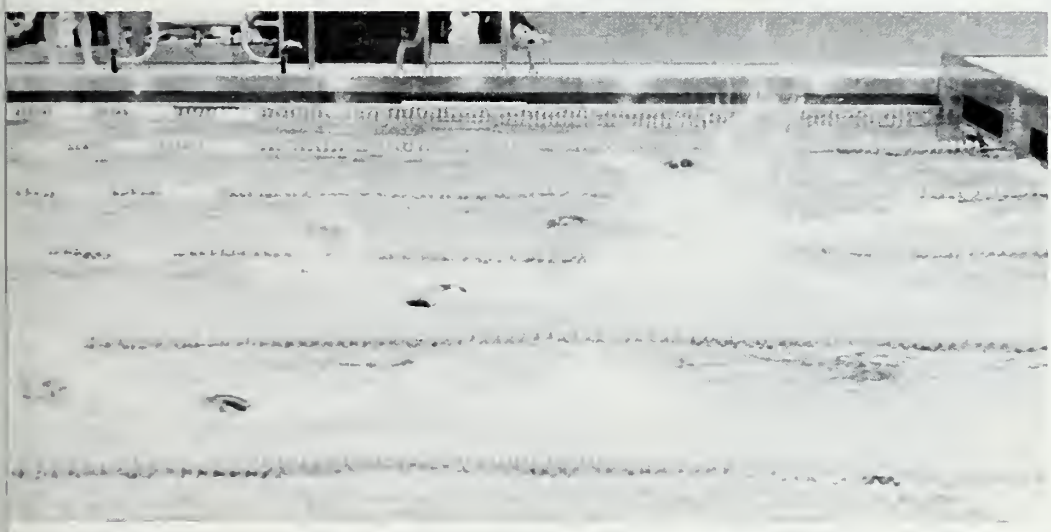
The S&M wrestling team, which began its season with 30 members, dwindled down to its final size of ten. Despite the small size of the team, Coach Mike Walters was pleased with the season. Joey Staier, the team captain, made his way to the state tournament this year where he earned 8th place in his weight division.

Coach Walters feels that the completion of NCSSM's gym next year will be very beneficial for the team. The gym will allow for home meets, so students' support for the team can increase greatly. With the intense spirit of NCSSM fans on their side, there will be no stopping our team next year.

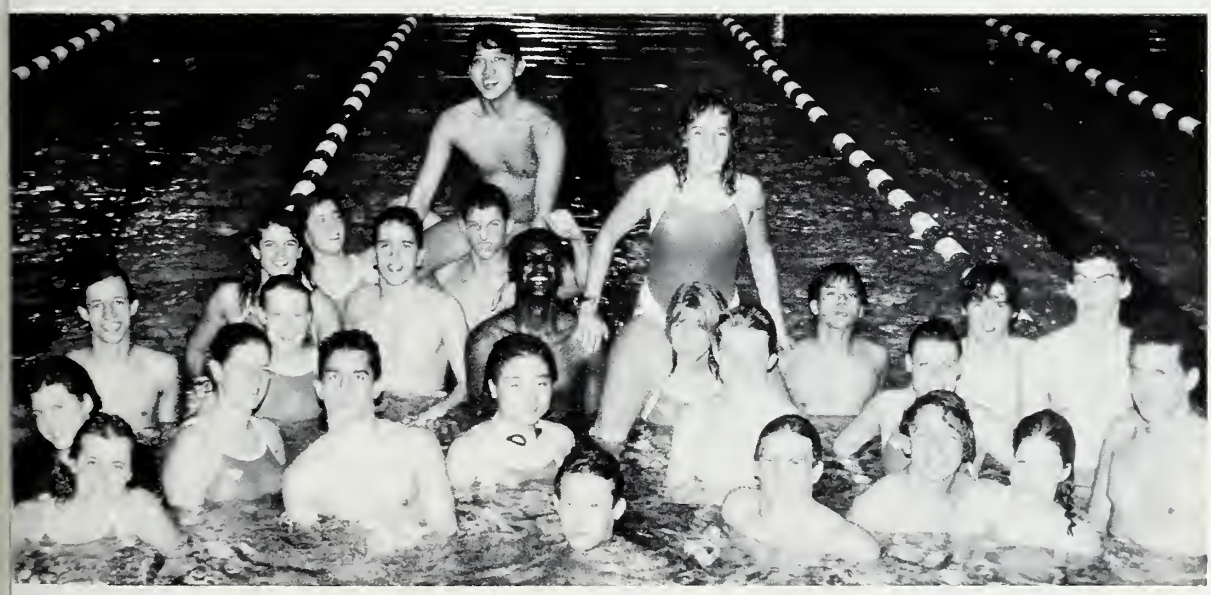


Top row: Ken Ferguson, Neil Stikeleather, Joey Staier. Bottom row: Jeff Stephens, Greg Fountain, Lee Cooper. Not pictured: Dickson Slater, Jonathan Martin, and Howard Weeks. Above: Coach Mike Walters.

Pulling Ahead

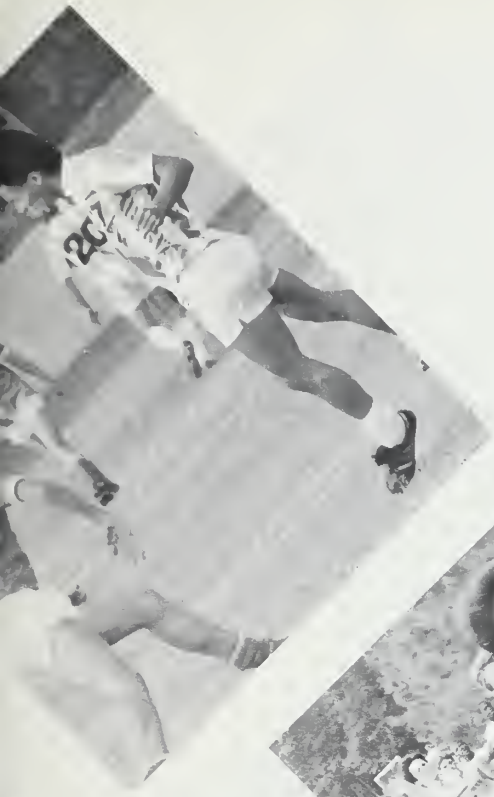


This year's swim team completed its season with a winning 6-3 record. The boys closed their season at 5-3-1, while the girls ended up at 2-7. The swimmers were under new leadership this year. Liz Dalmas, a senior at UNC-CH, coached and drilled the swimmers Monday through Friday. Helping her were Jennifer Guthrie, Ben Little, and Sasha Wood. Post-season play saw nine swimmers advance to regional competition, and two swimmers, Won Kim and Daphne Moore, earned the right to compete at the state level.



wim team, left to right: Jennifer Guthrie, Sharon Gardner, Chris Heinze, Krissy Simeonsson, Daphne Moore, Julia Roos, Eliza ohnson, Terry Baggett, Mitchel Tatum, Thomas Hazel, Won Kim, Hyun Hee Min, Milton Artis, Craig Trauschke, Jenny Lindenber-er, Laurie Cross, Brett Cannon, Dean Nestvogel, Eugene Yen, Kirk Schmidt, Deborah Nemecek, Alan Jackson, Leslie Gaddis, uncan Parks, and Joel Holt. Coach Liz Dalmas is pictured at right.

INSTANT REPLAY



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Do **they** take care of **us?**

Sorry sisters, but I fear,
It's that fateful time of year...
When you have a tired body & achy eyes
And your caffeine consumption is on the rise
When clothes are ragg - hair is frazzled
And students wander - looking dazzled
When every teacher becomes a Mr. Hyde
And takes you for hideous ride
So... if you reach the limit & want to scream,
Use this paper to let off some steam
'cause this is a complaint sheet
And it's EXAM WEEK!-

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STUDENT COUNCIL

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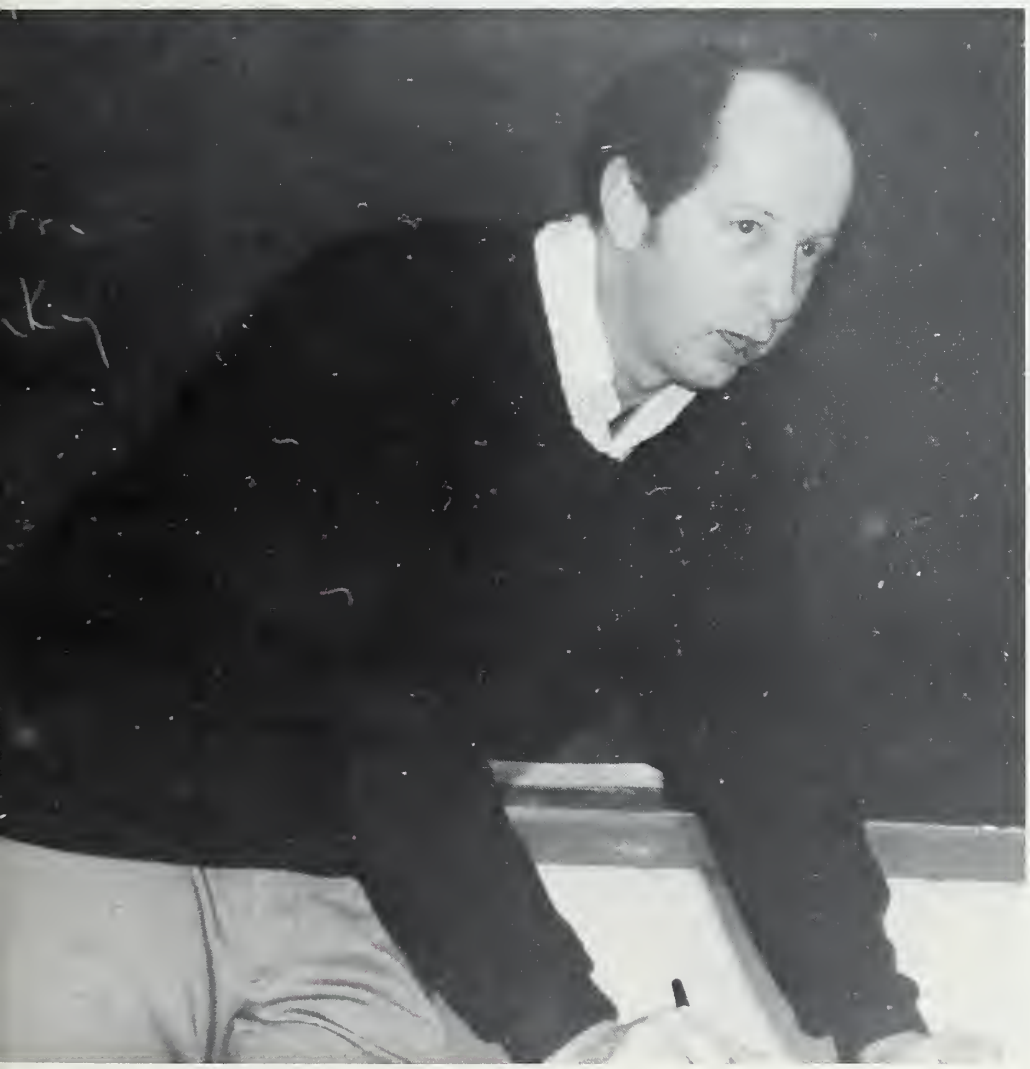


What is Student Council? An appropriate definition of Student Council is an elected union of students that serves the needs of the student body. Yet, while fitting for other Student Councils, this definition does not fully describe the NCSSM Student Council.

First, Student Council here is unlike any Student Council in North Carolina. We are not isolated or elitist; yet, we are strong. This strength comes from the student body. Often in the effort to achieve various goals, a Student Council may unintentionally isolate itself from input from students. Yet, the students at NCSSM have an important part in what the Student Council decides. Without student participation, all the planning and effort of the Student Council would be without purpose.

Second, the NCSSM Student Council represents determination. Determination with the highest degree of effort to get not just what the Student Council wants but also what the students want. This sharp determination has led me as well as other Student Council colleagues into discussion with various adult counterparts in our microcosm. And Student Council has shown that determination does pay off in satisfying the wants and needs of the students.

Last, Student Council has meant confidence. Confidence in satisfying the desires of the students. This confidence is one of the biggest assets of the NCSSM Student Council. The confidence to succeed and not fail; yet the determination to try again after stumbling. This has been the Student Council for 1987-1988. This confidence, determination, and student support has enabled Student Council to lead among leaders. This is something to be remembered.

President,
Jonathan Martin

STUDENT ACTIV

Remember the Pressure Boys and the Police? (no, not the group) and the Halloween Dance when MeShelle, the nerd, won first prize and the Hall Theme Dance (when 3rd Bryan went bananas)? How about the Holiday Dance (when Dr. Miller read How the Grinch Stole Christmas)?

On and off campus the Student Activities Board under the guidance of Sandy Gosnell and Debbie Hardaway provided the students with many pleasant and happy memories. The SAB Committee Chairs — Audra Davis, Julie Ingle, James Rivenbark, and Laurie Cross spent many hours coordinating the planning, publicizing, and carrying out of the on and off campus events. SAB sponsored movies in the New Dorm Lobby, dinner, movie and shopping loops, free swims, trips to Franklin Street, bowling, roller skating, trips to the State Fair, ice skating, Duke and NCSU football games, concerts, Little German Band, Transactors and more. Once again, SAB proved that it was a vital part of student life at NCSSM.

Gospel Choir

The NCSSM Gopel Choir Organization is made up of thirty talented students who share a common interest — Gospel Music. Throughout the year, these students have been expressing their dedication to the Gospel Choir organization by promoting awareness of gospel music. Not only does this group inspire others by performing, but they also help sponsor Black History Month Activities and Cultural awareness activities such as the African Dance group. The Gospel Choir Organization is sponsored by Joan Barber. Group leaders are Erica Smith — President, Lynn Harris — vice-president, Annice Hood — secretary, Charlene Warren — treasurer and Alicia Smith — club coordinator, Hyun Hee Kwon is the accompanist and Melissa Stewart is the assistant accompanist.

TIES BOARD

Western

Vive la France! The French Club had a wonderful year learning about French culture and combining class work with fun activities! We sponsored a foreign language soccer tournament which drew enthusiastic participation. We had a holiday dinner with special treats native to France — quiche, pastries, and cheese . . .

Latin Club: President — Paul Fullbright; Vice-President/ICC Rep. — Robby Dums; Secretary — Mary Fabian

This was the first year of the Latin Club and it did pretty well. One of the activities planned was a Roman Festival. The Latin Club also planned to make and sell T-shirts.

French Club: President — Wedad El[illegible] ident — Christy Cannon; Secretary surer — Danielle Bernard; ICC Rep. —

We went to the art museum with a French tour guide and competed in contests. Students from every level of French learned from and enjoyed this year's festivities. "Le gain de notre ètude, c'est enêtre devenu meilleur et plus sage." — Montaigne

Spanish Circle: President — Chris Marks; Vice-President — Kim Silk; ICC Rep. Stephanie Glaser

agraby; Vice-Pres- — Mary Tolle; Trea- Anja Thomas

El Club de Español tiene dos partes. Los miembros del Circulo de Español leen lìteratura española y la discuten cada semana. Los miembros de la Mesa Española hablan española durante dos comidas por semanas.

Languages

Eastern Languages

The Russian Club was made up of the people taking Russian I or II and a few other people who were interested in the language. They planned several activities involving Soviet Americans, including dinners and having guest speakers. Sponsor — Dr. Houpe; Premier — Paul Fullbright; Vice Premier — Katherine Ogburn; Secretary/Treasurer — Pam Keel

Chinese Club

The Chinese Club started for the first time this year. Activities of the club included meetings, having Chinese food and discussing Chinese chess. Club members were very enthusiastic about starting the club and participated in the activities eagerly. Sponsor — Mrs. Hsiang; President — Robert Chang; ICC Rep. — Alice Mauskopf

Russian Club

The Blue Mirror

"Here is the deadline sheet for the next issue."
"Remember — a headline must have a verb in it."
"When writing an article, use as many quotes as you possibly can."
"Meeting adjourned."

All articles were written, proofread, and laid out by the students. The photographs were also produced by students. Every Monday at 7:00 pm the entire staff met and discussed the stage that each issue was in.

This year The Stentorian changed from its previous issues. Rather than a newspaper, its title was changed to an NCSSM publication. Because only six issues were published, the staff focused their attention on humorous and interesting articles. This new image will hopefully, increase student interest in journalism at NCSSM.

The Blue Mirror is the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics literary magazine. The purpose of the magazine is to publish outstanding literary works of students, faculty and alumni. When work is submitted to The Blue Mirror, it is typed, numbered, and considered by the staff of the magazine. The works are then voted on by the staff. The author's name is kept confidential throughout this process.

The editor-in-chief and two associate editors then made decisions regarding length, format, and composition of the issue. Issues are published and distributed throughout this student body and faculty.

Editor-in-chief — Pete Eisenhauer; Associate editors — Linda Sherif & Svati Shodhan

The Stentorian

Drama Guild

President — Tamara Caspary; Vice-President Katherine Ogburn; Secretary — Elizabeth Hipps; Treasurer — Scott Foster; ICC Rep. — Jonathan Mattingly. Words from Within: Senior Director — Katie Sherman, Junior Director — Rob McKenna

Drama Guild — it's different things to different people. It's a stage or an improv a trip to see a play . . . or it's a script:

Melissa: Drama's an outlet. It's as non-academic as you can be while still being academic.

Rebecca: It's fun, you get to be a bunch of other people. It's the truth within a lie.

Scott: It's having no money and no idea how to get more.

Dave: It's sort of like acting; it's better than Calculus.

Killian: Yo, Yo, check me out!

Mykeko: It's the most happening thing on campus.

The Fine Arts

The Art Club is the largest and most active club at NCSSM. And no wonder, because each week is filled with fun workshops and activities. The Art Club gives the students the opportunity to escape from the primarily academic environment (which can be very stressful at times). We're here to serve both the student body and the Durham Community.

Some of our projects have been: Batik, Tie-dying, Silkscreening, Ceramics. Pottery, Advanced Finger Painting, Field trips to the N.C. Museum of Art, and anything else anybody could imagine doing. Special thanks to Beth, our loving and hard-working leader who is responsible for allowing us to express our Creativity and develop our minds.

Beth Moorman

Art Club

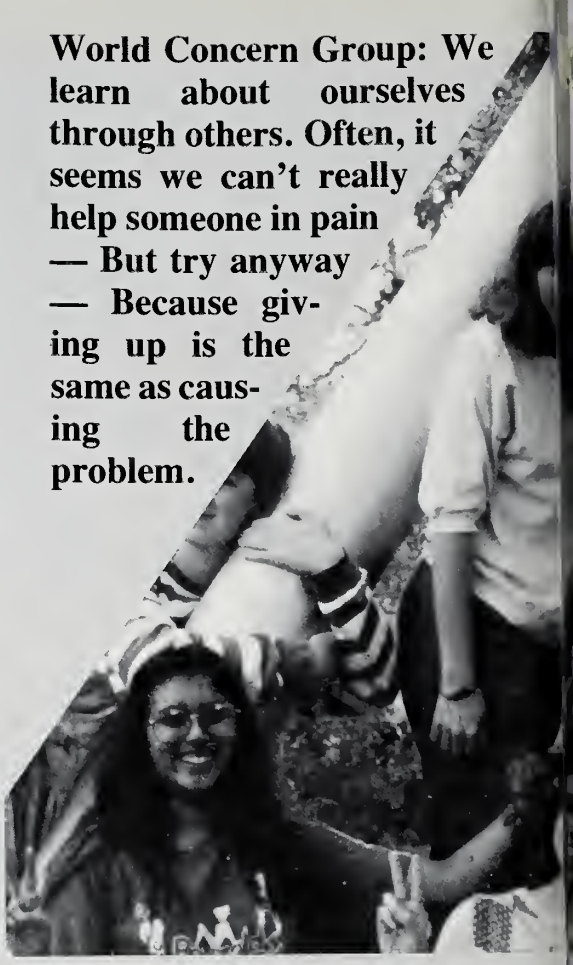
Hillary Vander Gast & Svati Shodhan — Co-Presidents; Secretary — Dawn Marsh; Treasurer — Anthony Alvarez

Forensics Club

The Debate Club this year was stronger than ever and showed lots of enthusiasm. The club's purpose was to improve the skills of speech and debate. The club was divided into six teams: Policy Debate, Original Oratory, Student Congress, Humorous & Dramatic Interpretation, Extemporaneous, and Lincoln Douglas Debate. This year the Policy Debate team was fortunate to have a real coach. Mr. Richard Odor was Duke University's Debate coach.

The Outdoors Club is definitely activity-oriented. Rock climbing, backpacking, canoeing and skiing were among the activities planned. A club for beginners, one of our main objectives was to get people that wouldn't otherwise go outdoors. We had advanced trips, but most don't require any experience.

Our most basic goal is to have fun outdoors. We did great at that! Presidents — Duncan Parks & Chris Robert



World Concern Group: We learn about ourselves through others. Often, it seems we can't really help someone in pain — But try anyway — Because giving up is the same as causing the problem.

World

Though our school is academically oriented, our concern for the world around us is just as important. World Concern encouraged activities such as Oxfam Fast. Harambee focused its at-

"I BEG TO DIFFER." — Debate

"Should I stay or should I go?"

Concerns

tention on minority roles in our society. The Debate expressed its concern through their vocal skills. Outdoors participated in activities which brought them closer to nature.

Outdoors Club

HARAMBEE

Harambee is a group for minority students and organized to help cope with special pressures of life. We try to prepare minorities for tomorrow's world. President — Lynn Harris; Vice-President — Sherri Rankin

GRAVITY DEFIANCE

The Gravity Defiance Club is sworn to defy gravity (as the name implies) by teaching its members to juggle, unicycle, hacky-sack, play ultimate frisbee, tie balloon animals, and participate in group silliness. Those in the club who are capable, teach other members how to do new things, and regular sessions are held to learn and practice. Other members also compete for the longest time with the hacky-sack, the best animal, the strangest frisbee throw, etc., etc. Our club is firmly dedicated to have a good time, and will never pass up the opportunity to do so.

ROLE-P

WAR GAMES

The NCSSM Wargaming Club is in its third year of existence. Officers this year are Eric Sharpe — President, Lam Tran — Vice-President, Bruce Lee — Secretary/Treaurer, Lawerance Liaa — ICC Representative. Our purpose is to pramate wargaming, in general. Nat anly have classic wargames such as Avalan Hill's **Diplomacy** and **Civilization** been played, the club has provided the library with copies af the Magazine, **The General.** Beyand that, we, alang with the Role-Playing Club, schedule many events.

PEP

The Pep Club/Squad was resurrected this year under the leadership of Allison Ashley. Vigorous practices took place as members learned new chants and cheers. The PEP Club increased the morale of the student body by supplying balloons during soccer games and making posters. The PEP Squad also performed during half time at home basketball games.

The purpose of the FOCUS CLUB is to introduce to the student body the necessity of good grooming, personal hygiene, poise, and charm. FOCUS also tries to help young people build self-confidence. Workshops are done by professionals for the benefit of members. All the techniques that members learn are presented through the fashion shows performed for the school. President — Renee Collins; Vice President — Terri Jones; Secretary — Charlene Warren; Treasurer — Annice Hood

LAYING

FOCUS

High School science clubs usually serve as oases of opportunities for cores of interested students. In that light, the whole NCSSM community might be seen as one inclusive club. Our "club within a club" functions mainly to channel students to competitions, research symposiums, seminars and field trips.

Fall competitions included a trip to UNC at Asheville for Science Day. Spring Competition revolved around Science Olympiad, sponsored by Kevin Currie and Sarah Allen. Part of the Odyssey of the Mind competition involved construction of a "submersible" vessel to explore the Lost Continent of Atlantis.

Students of Steve Warshaw and Colleen McNamara represented us at the North Carolina Student Academy of Science Research Symposium. Other club activities included career opportunity seminars, a campus pond reclamation project, a spring rocket shoot, and a science fiction film series.

SCIENCE AND

MATHEMATICS

Most NCSSM students have been on math teams at their old high school. But with all the other things going on, few stay in the Math Club when they come here. However, those few go farther than most would think possible.

The NCSSM Math Club participates in three sets of contests. The first is in New York City Interscholastic Math League. In nationwide Atlantic and Pacific Math Contests, NCSSM is defending national champ.

The best contests, though, are the meets. NCSSM goes to Duke, Davidson, College of Charleston, and N.C. State, plus hosting its own meet on Math Symposium Day. These meets give you a chance to see your friends from other teams and compete against the best math teams in the state. Also, the varying formats give you a chance to try different types of problems from proofs, to team problems, to relays. NCSSM sends separate junior and senior teams, which usually place in the top five. At the first meet of the year, Duke, the junior team placed first and the senior team placed second.

The NCSSM Math Club also gives us a chance to try some new things. Speakers from UNC, Duke, State, and NCSSM teach about different aspects of math than what we might find in class. Also, proofreading the N.C. Math League allows us to try writing and rewriting the questions for math contests. Planning for Math Symposium Day and the national ARML meet yields a different look at math contests. This year we have started math movies on some free nights. But the most important thing in math club is our coach, Mr. Goebel. He organizes the NCML and most of the other major contests in this state.

The History Club

The History Club is in its first year as an official NCSSM club. The purpose of the club is to promote an awareness of history, politics, and current events and to provide a forum where interested students can share and increase their knowledge of history. The officers are Moreland Smith — President, Robert Sanders — Vice-President, Sarita Chung — Secretary, Wendy Kuo — Treasurer, and Alice Mauskopf — ICC rep. Activities include field trips, speakers, attendance at conferences, a mock election, a current events round table and more. Trips are to include Old-Salem, the State capitol, a trip to historic sites in the eastern part of the state and possibly Williamsburg. Our club sent five delegates to the Constitutional Decisions '87 conference at N.C. Central University and represented the only high school among the colleges present. A mock election is planned for the spring that will be co-sponsored by the History Club and the history faculty. The current events round table meets Tuesday and Thursday during lunch to discuss relevant current events.

QUIZ BOWL

The Quiz Bowl Club offers the opportunity for students to quench their thirst for knowledge. At weekly meetings, students participate in a format similar to that used at the State competition. The goal of these meetings is to create an atmosphere similar to those in the contests. In March, a team is chosen to represent NCSSM at the State Quiz Bowl competition.

NCSSM is given automatic birth at this level to insure that other schools in our area have a fair chance to participate in the higher levels of competition. This year, we also hope to obtain a buzzer system so that students can become familiar with answering quickly. Our final goal is to bring the State Championship back to Science and Math.

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Janey Bowman & Linie Chang

I just wanted to say THANK-you to my wonderful photographers who spent many hours taking pictures and printing pictures in the dark room.
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Santa. A. Claus

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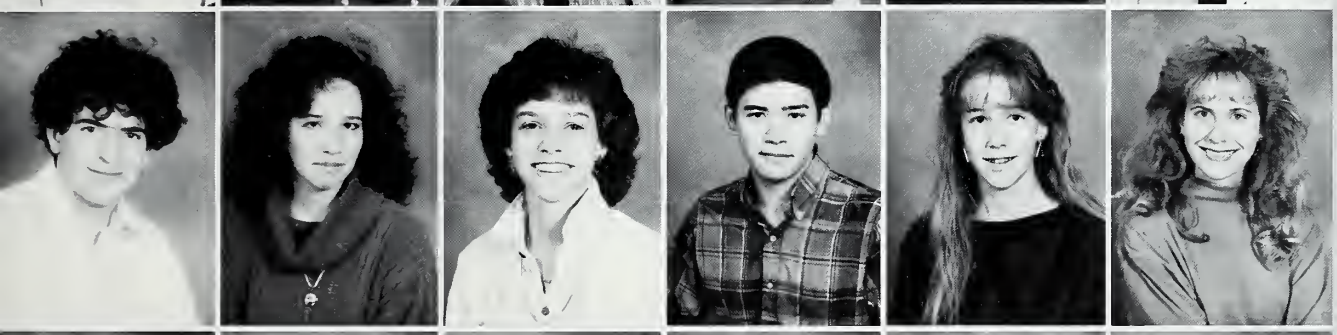

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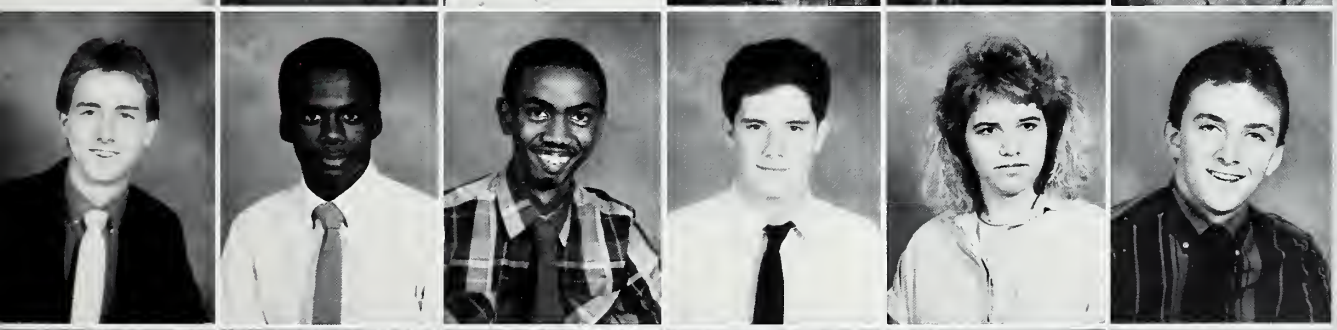

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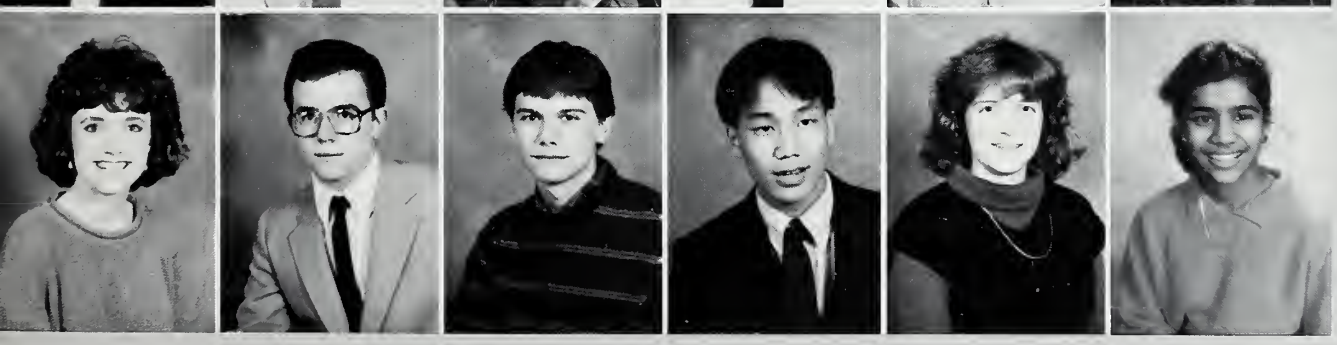

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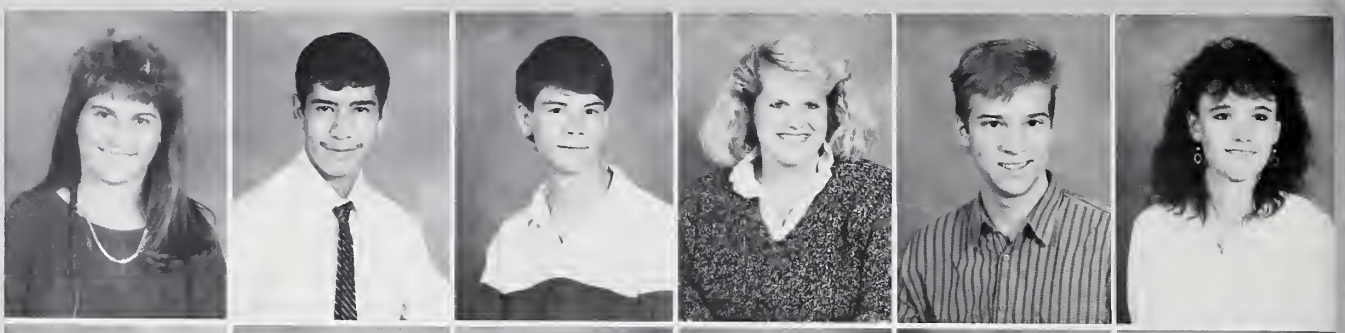

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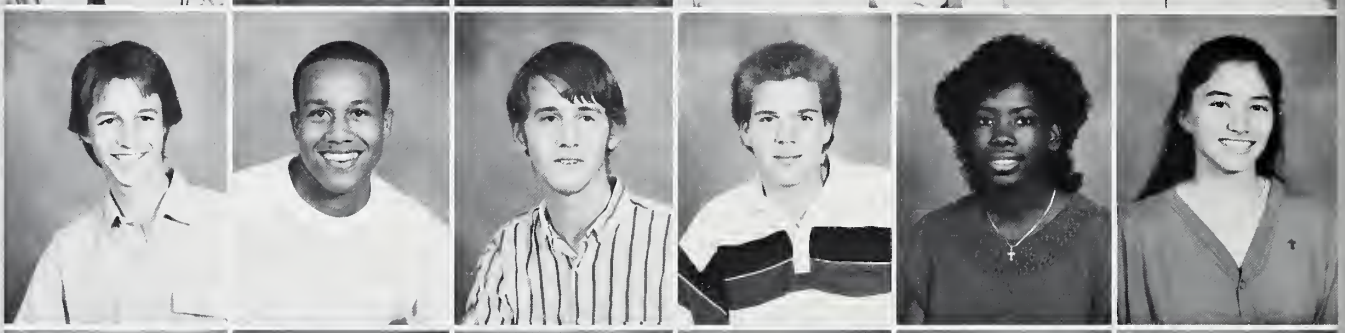

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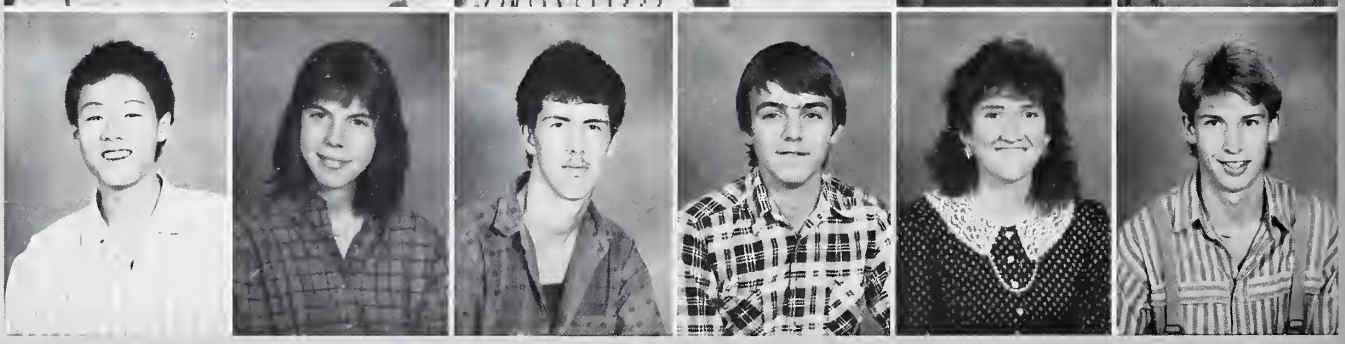

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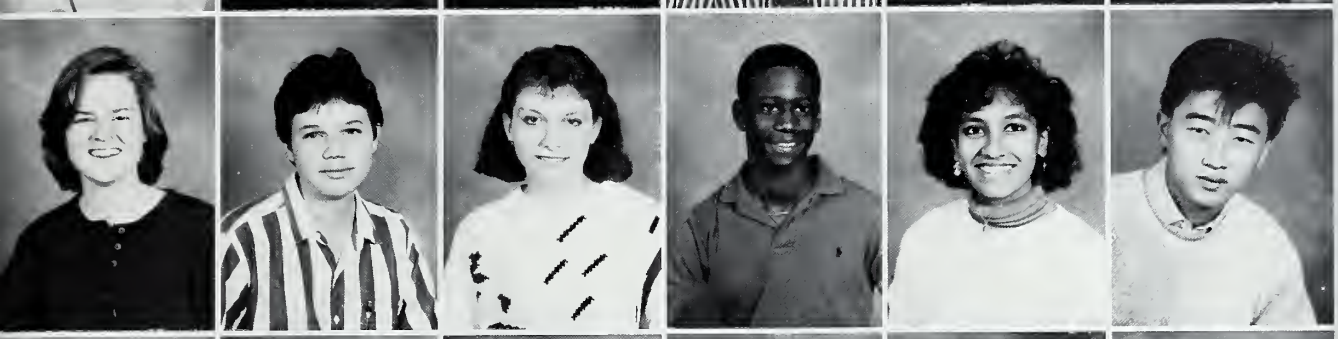

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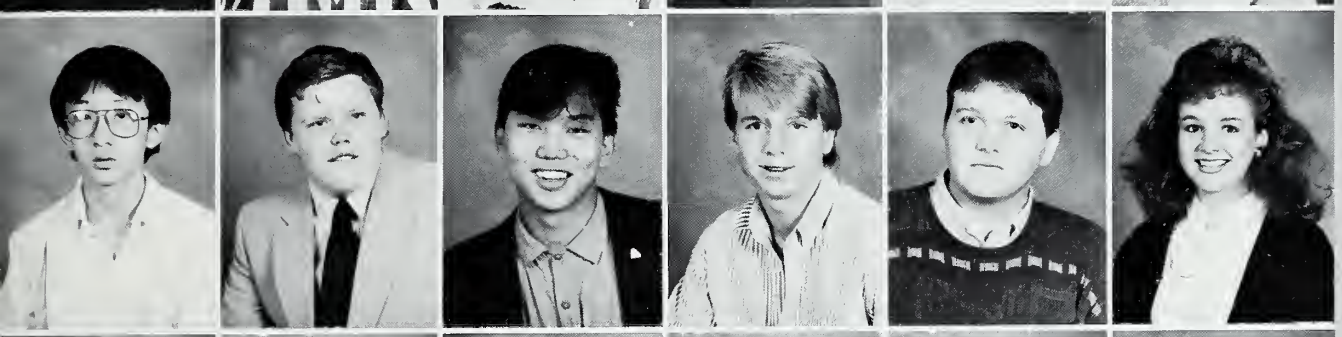

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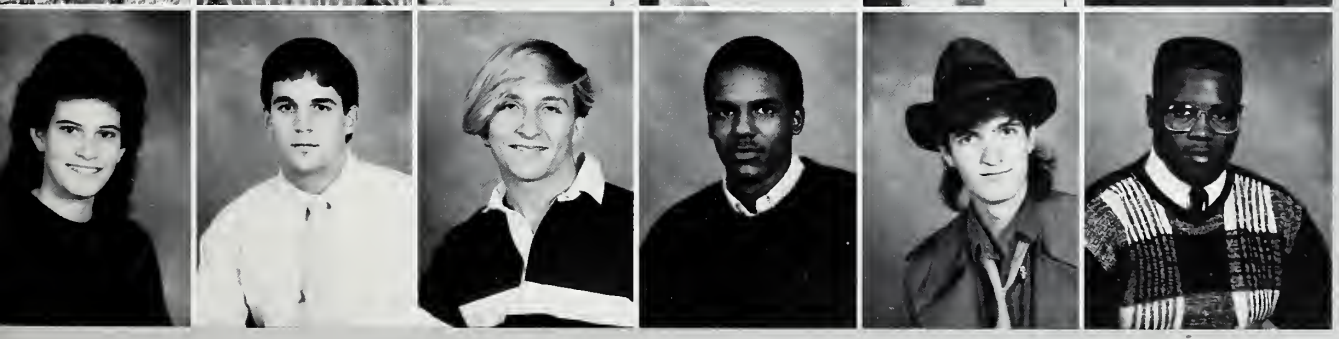

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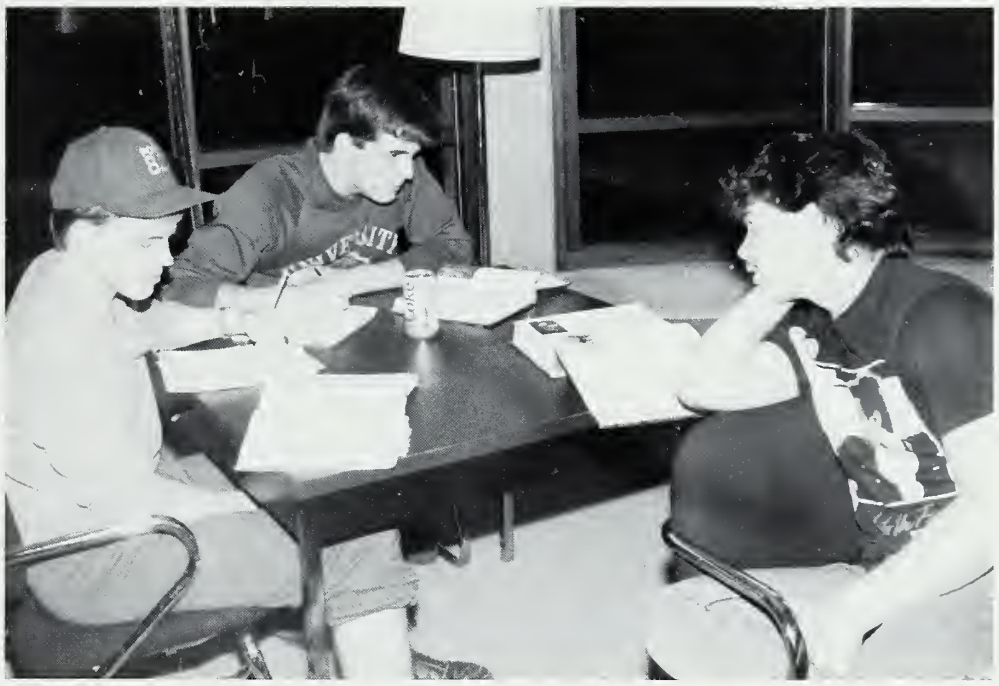

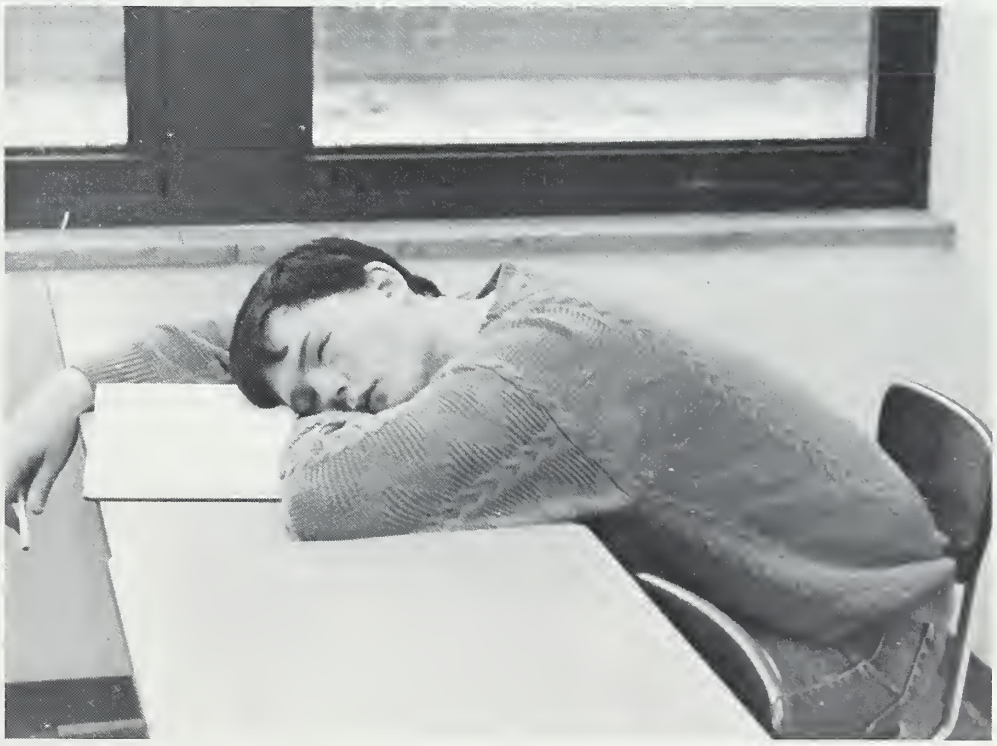

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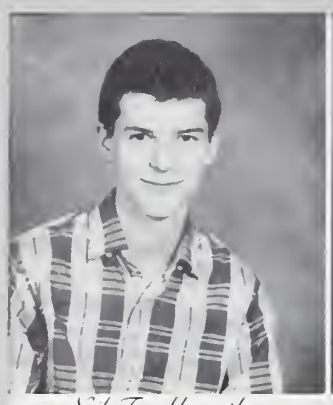
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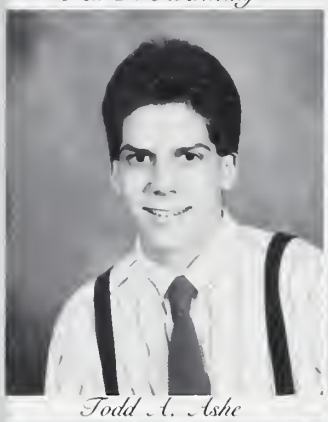
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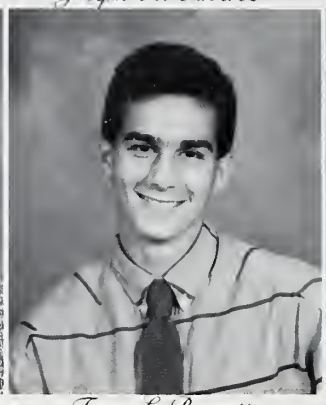
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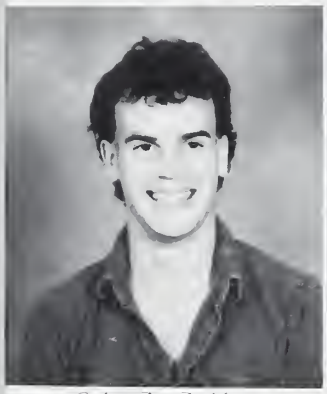
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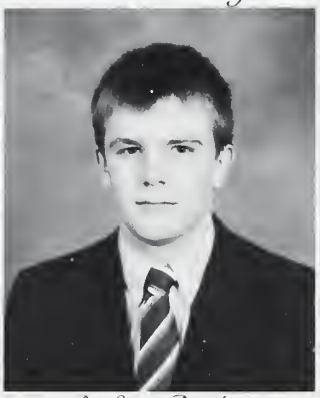
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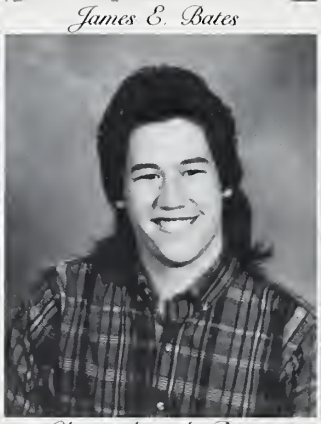
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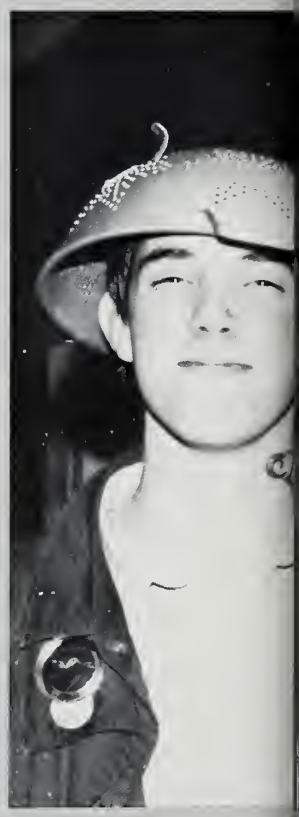

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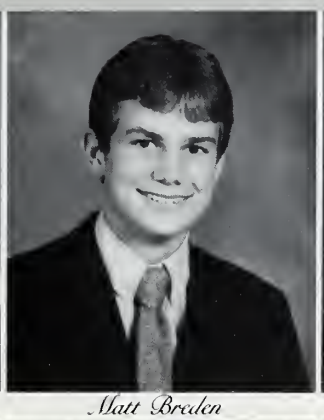
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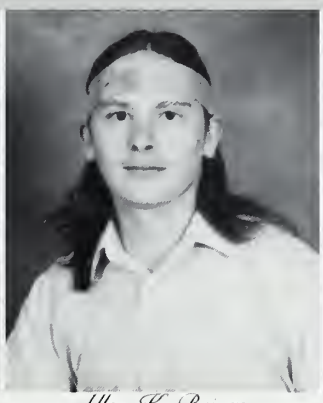
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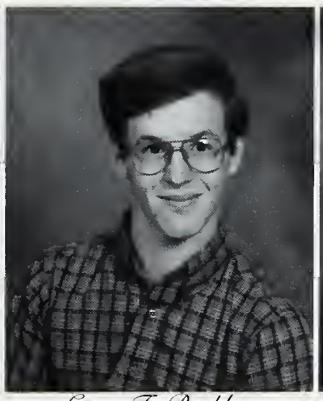
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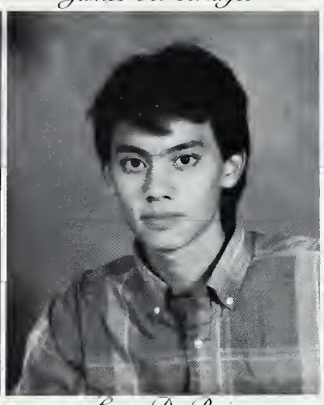
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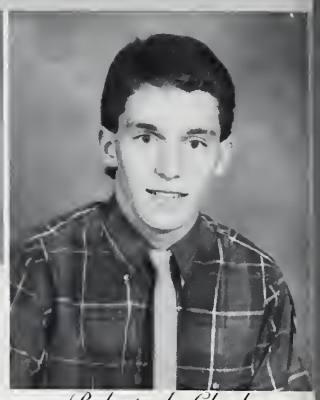
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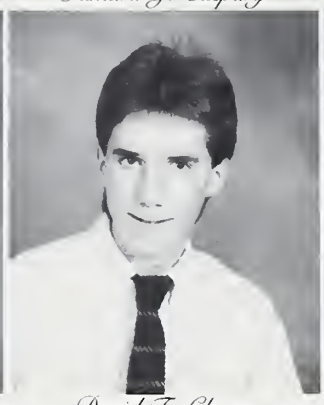
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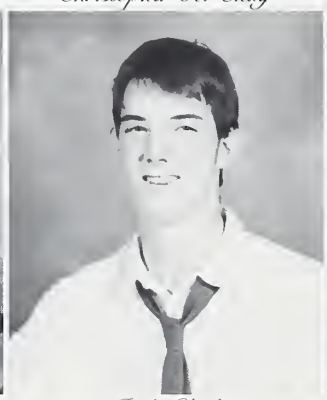
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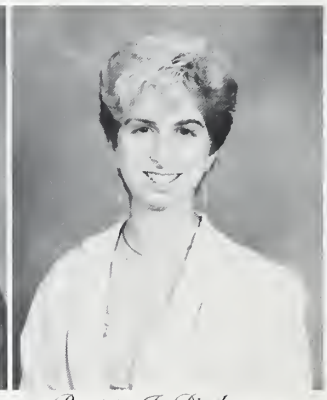
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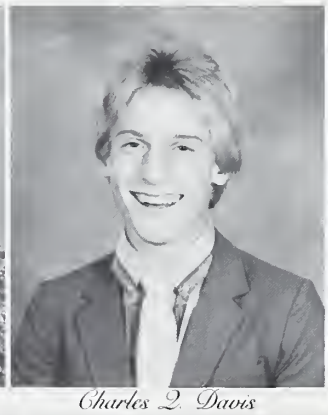
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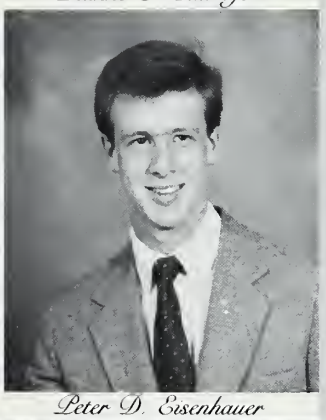
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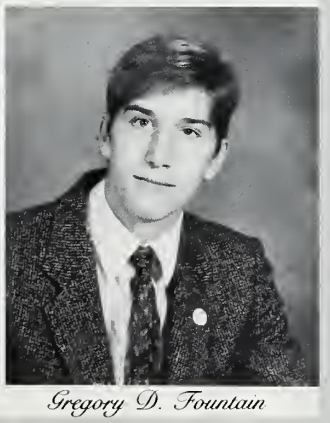
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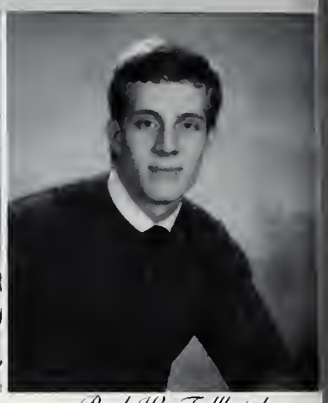
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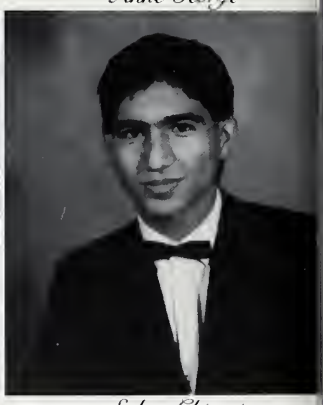
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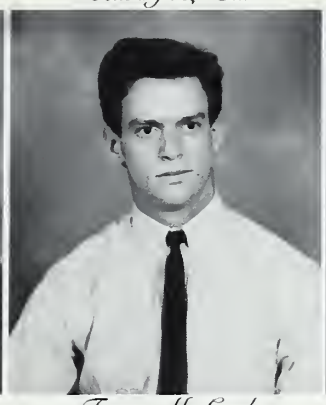
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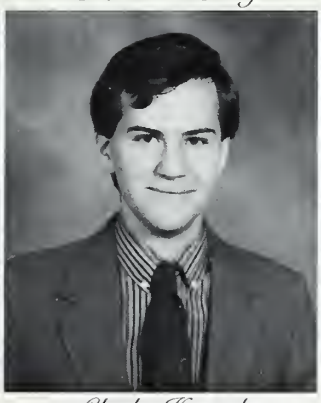
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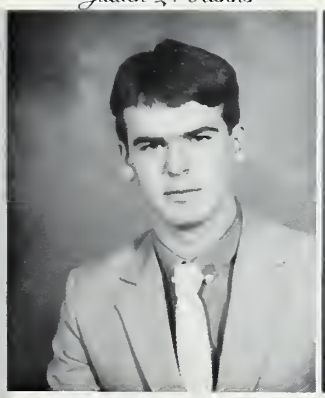
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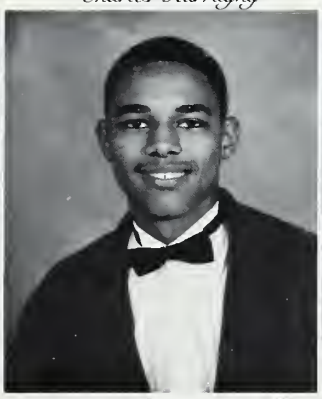
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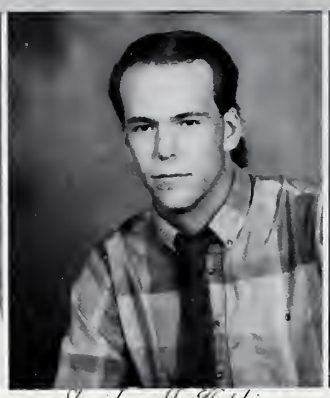
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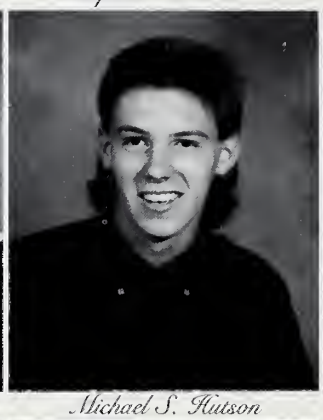
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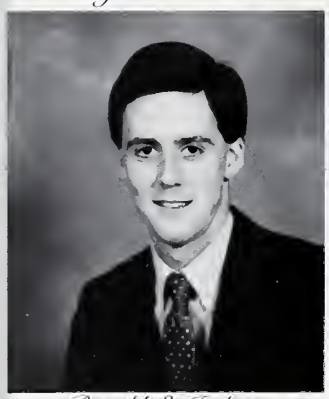
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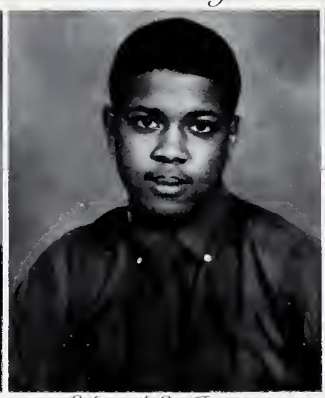
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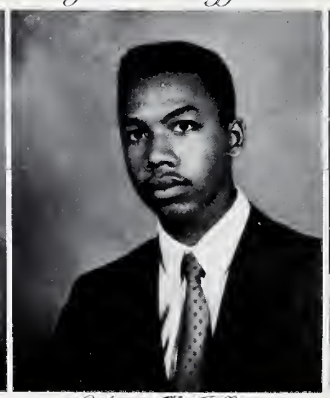
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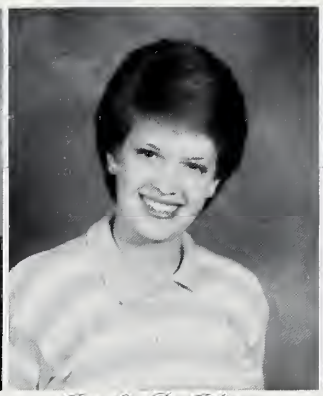
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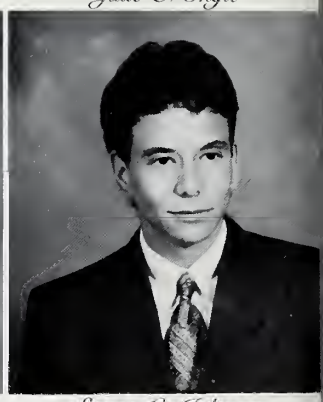
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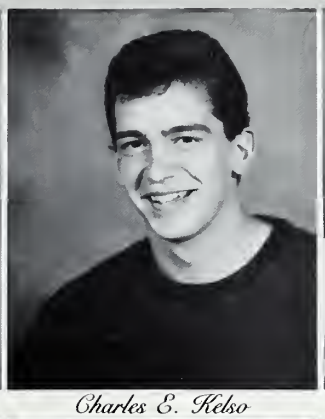
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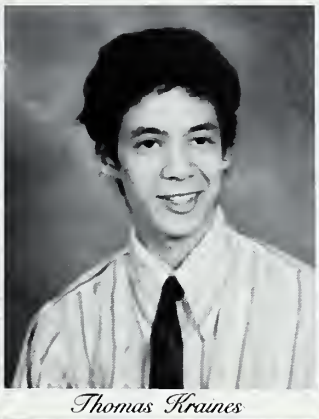
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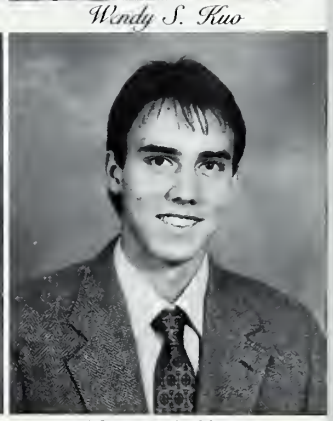
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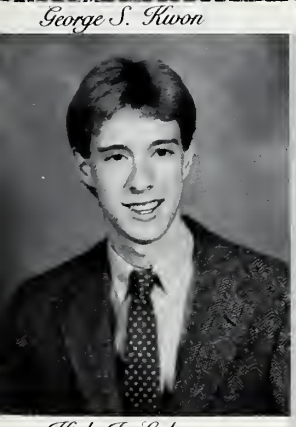
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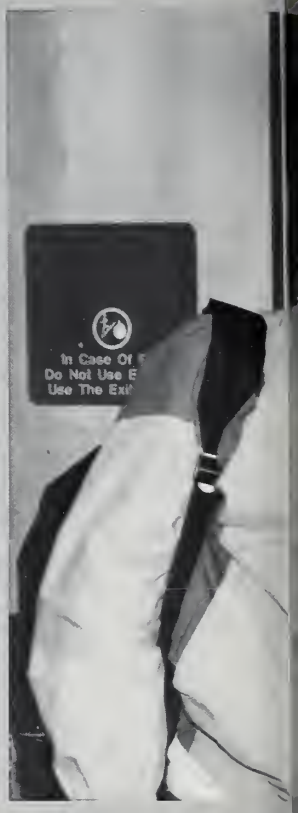

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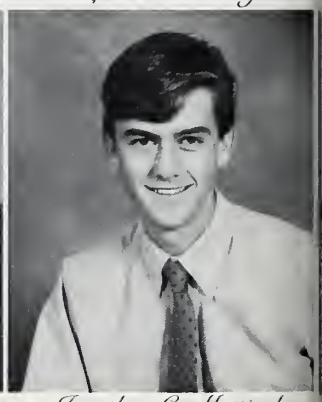
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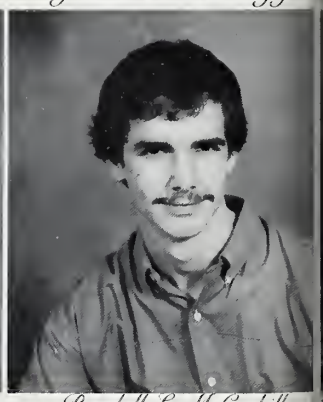
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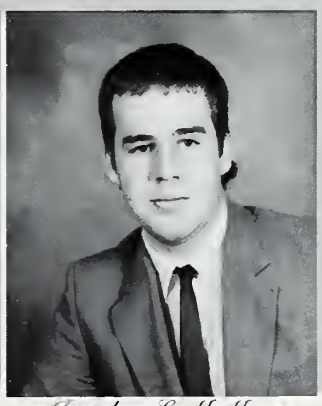

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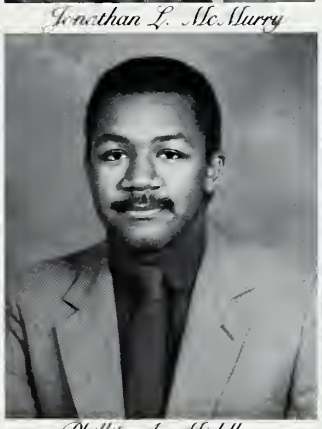

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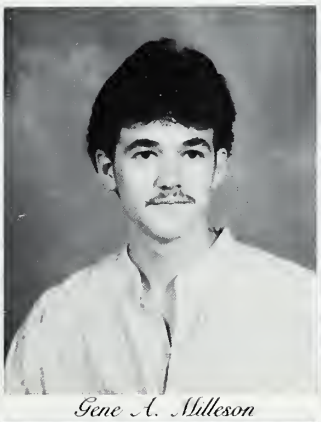

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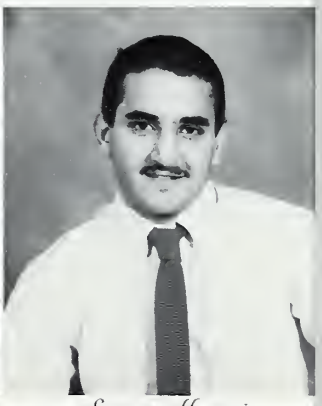

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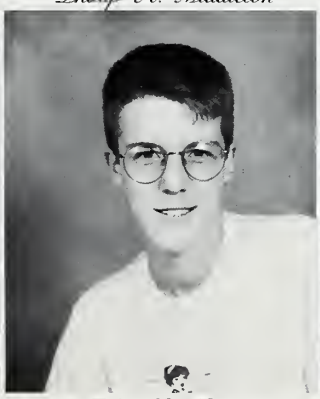

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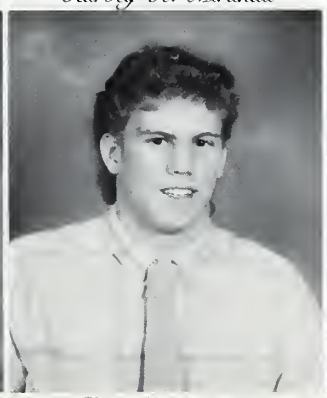

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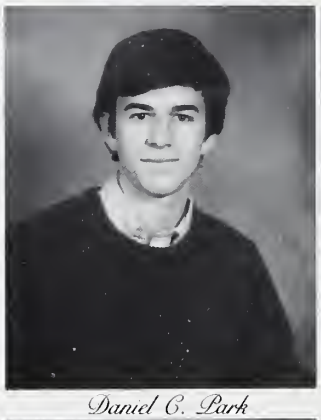
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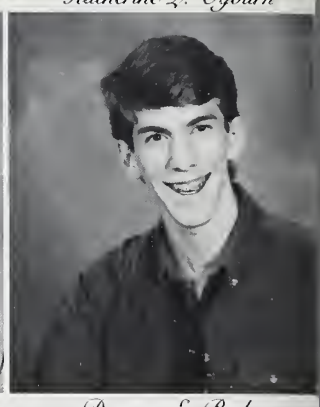
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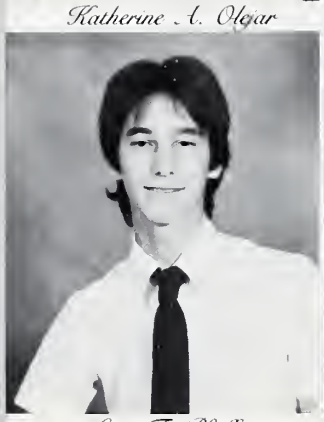
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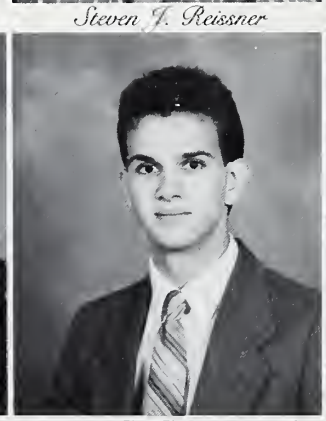
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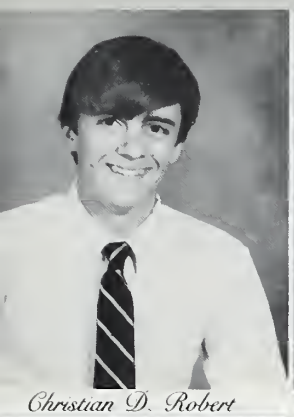
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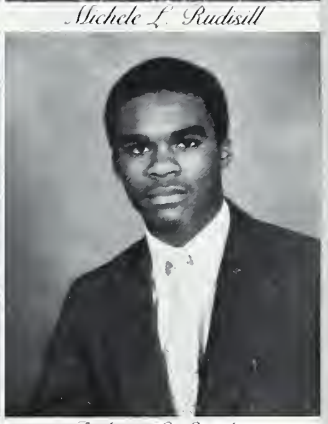
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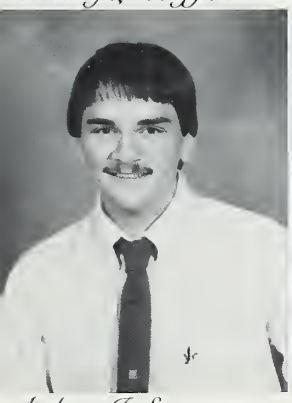
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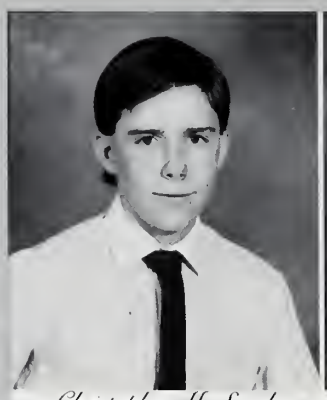

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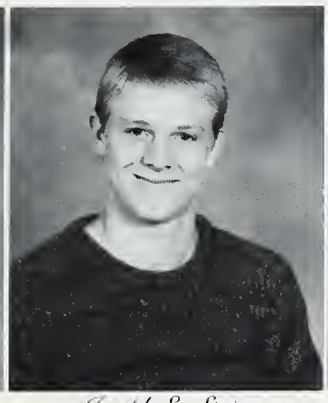
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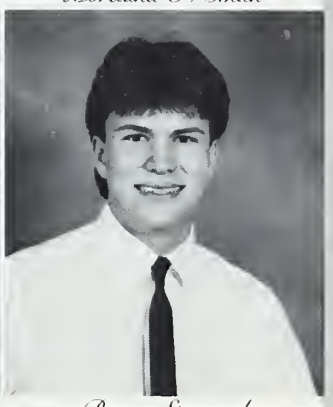
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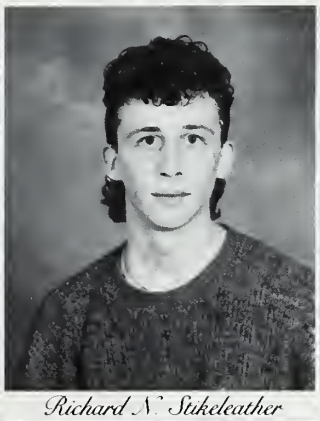
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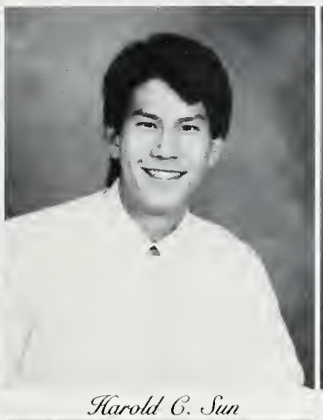
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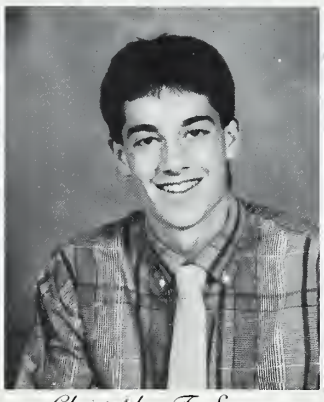
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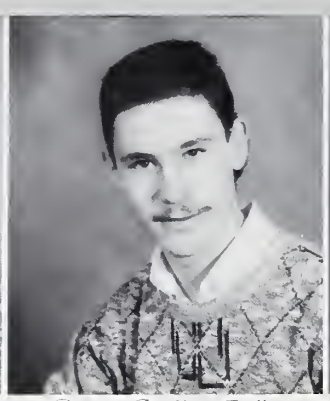
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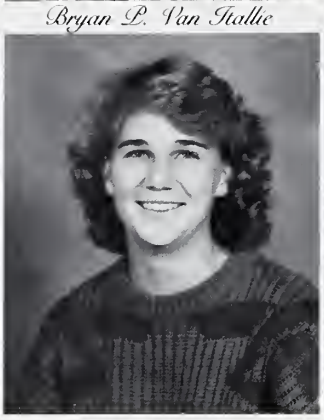
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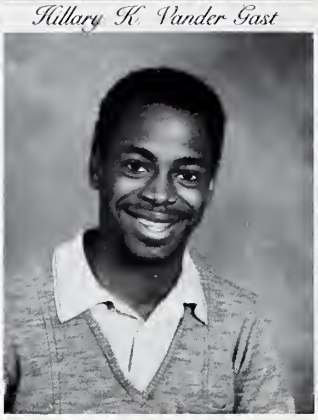
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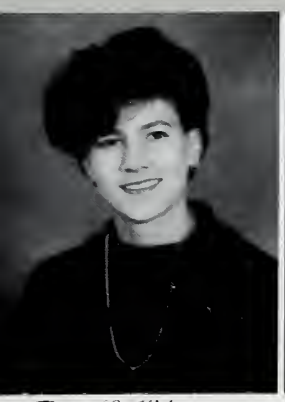
Neatness
Chilly fresh
Yo baby, check me out!
Get a grip
Ain't that special?
Kinda sorta
Whisker biscuit
Yeah, Yeah, whatever
Yo, hook me up!
No lie
Secret!
Ain't no biggy
Whassup?
Aaaaaaaghhh!!!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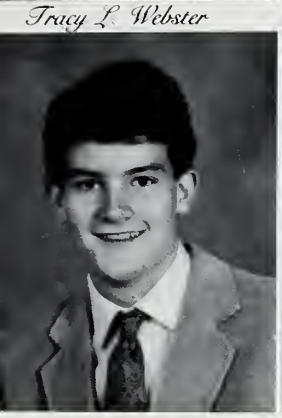
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Pressure Boys
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L O O K !!!
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Pet fish

ISRAEL'S WAR AT HOME
Confronting a New Arab Challenge
Newsweek
Miami
for people who like to smoke
BENSON & HEDGES
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We decided to check out the local talent on

The discovery was made that McDonald's wasn't a restaurant?

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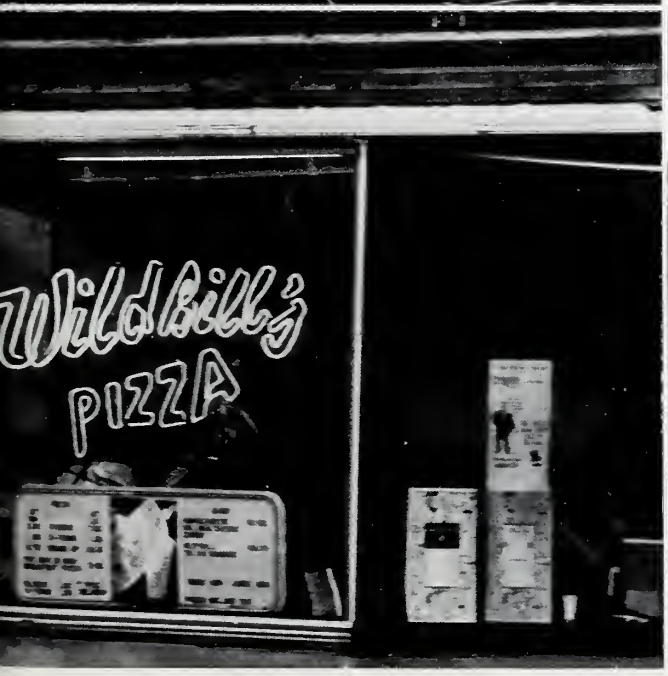

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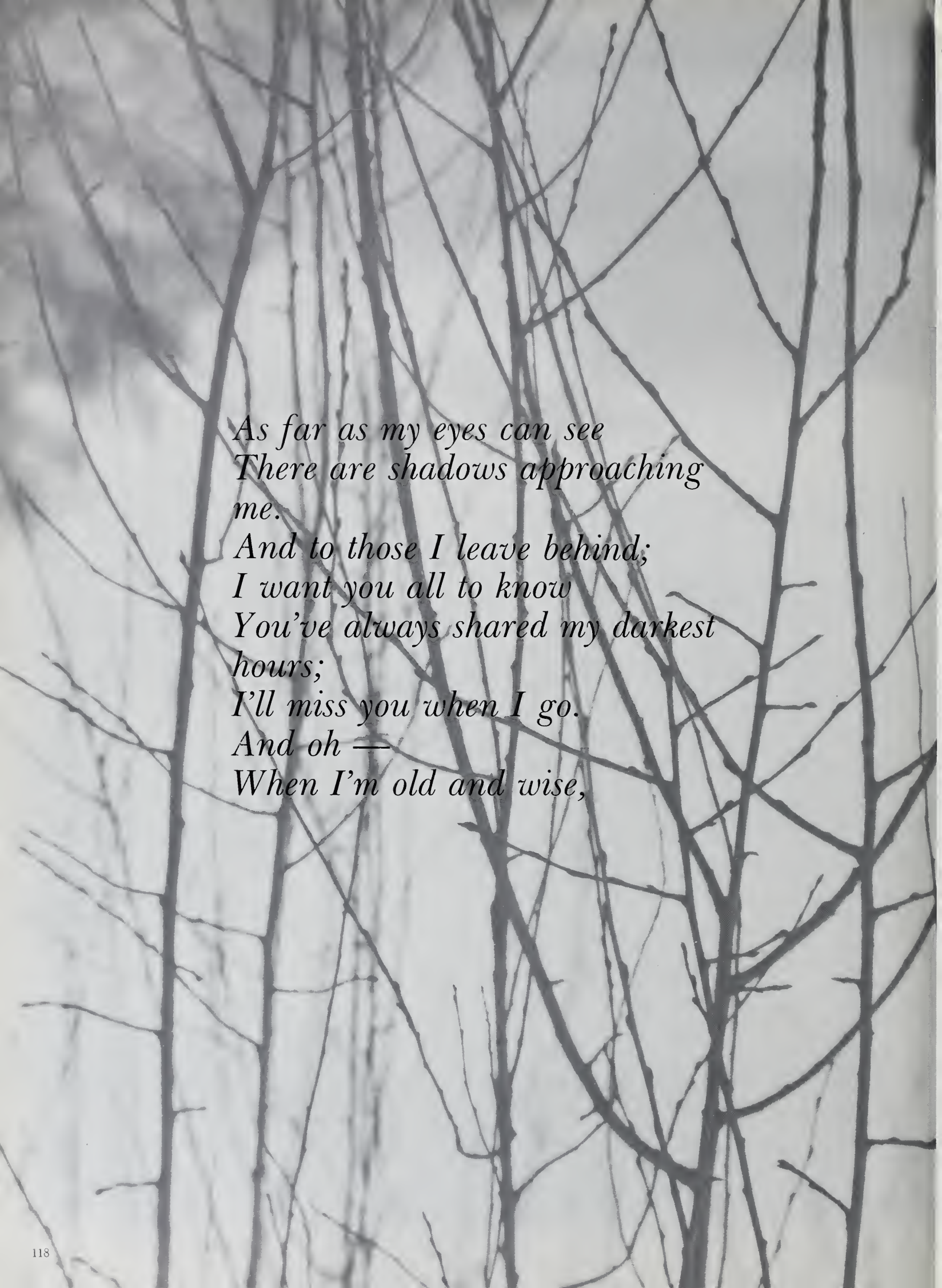
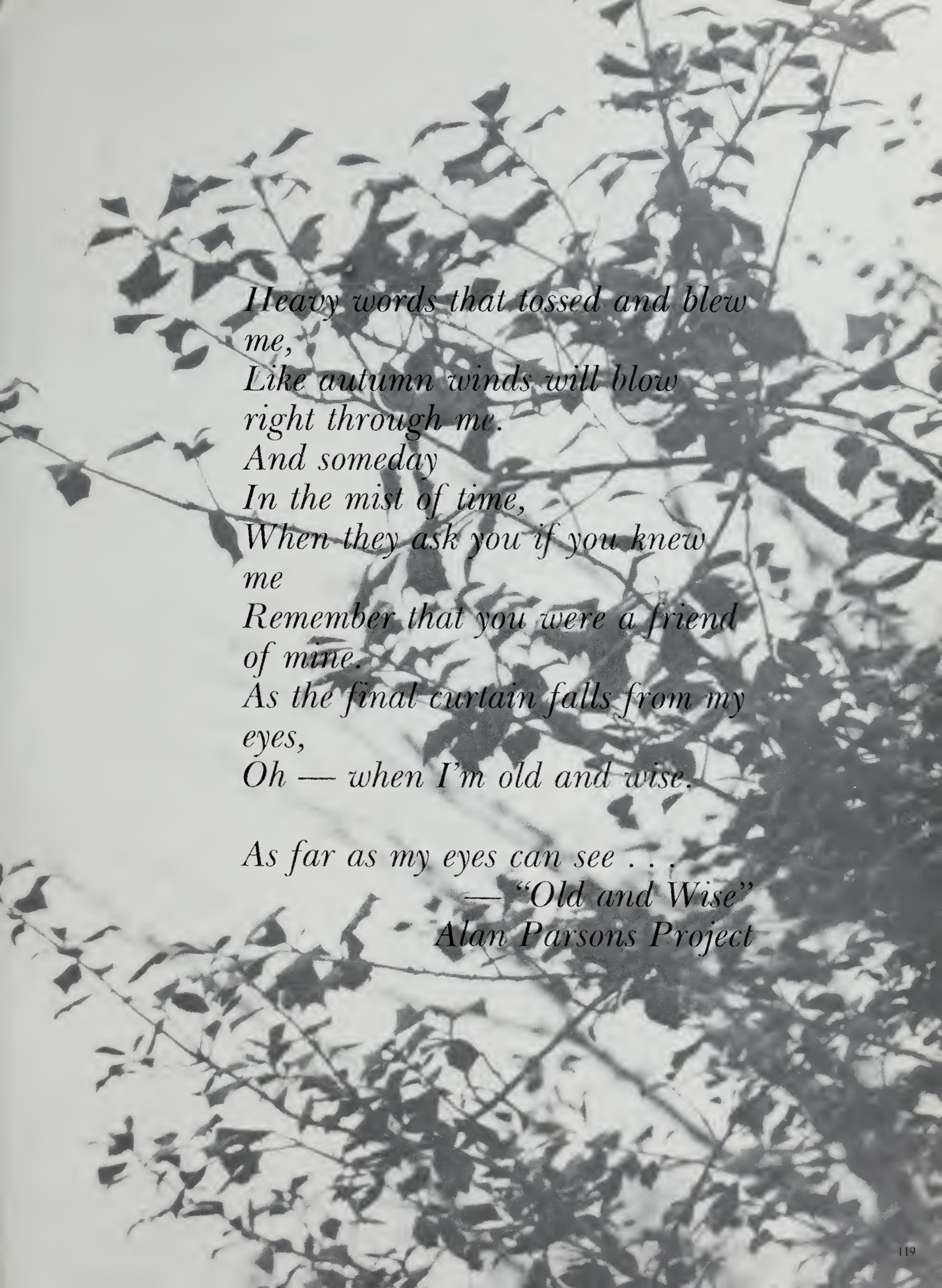


As far as my eyes can see
There are shadows approaching me.
And to those I leave behind;
I want you all to know
You've always shared my darkest hours;
I'll miss you when I go.
And oh —
When I'm old and wise,



Heavy words that tossed and blew me,
Like autumn winds will blow right through me.
And someday
In the mist of time,
When they ask you if you knew me
Remember that you were a friend of mine.
As the final curtain falls from my eyes,
Oh — when I'm old and wise.

As far as my eyes can see . . .

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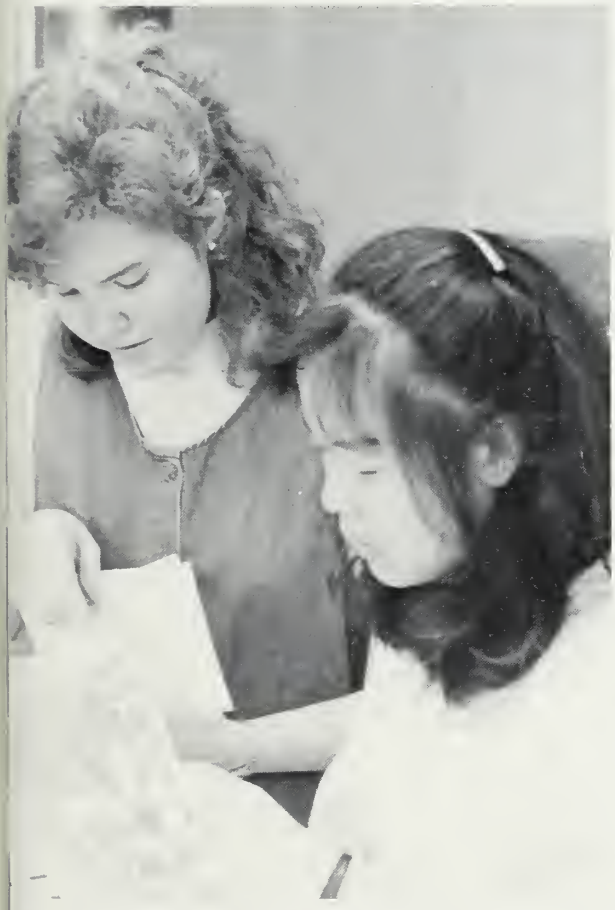

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